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Of all kinds, always on hand. We kill nothing but choice stock.
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Shoulders,
Breakfast Bacon, &c.,
Dried Beef,
Bologna Sausage, etc.
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AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
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I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 17, '74, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.
Freight and Accommodation ..... 7:00 a m
Passenger ..... 1,00 p m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.
Passenger ..... 11,30 a m
Freight and Accommodation ..... 5,45 p m

H. C. MOORE, Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.
C. V. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Ag't, Tuscola.
S. NEWELL, Agent, Decatur

Illinois Central R. R
Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.
Passenger ..... 5 08 A M Sundays excepted
Freight ..... 2 25 A M Mondays "
" ..... 10 40 A M Sundays "
" ..... 3 45 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.
Passenger ..... 7 42 P M Sundays excepted
Freight ..... 8 50 A M " "
" ..... 11 20 P M " "
" ..... 3 25 P M " "

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Gen. Fr't Ag't,
C. O. JUDSON, Agent.

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☞ *Close Connection is also made at Danville Junction for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville.*

Pullman Sleeping Cars are run between St. Louis and Cleveland, and Quincy and Toledo, without change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:
GOING WEST:
No. 1 Through Express ..... 3 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express ..... 12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation ..... 3 10 p. m
" 5 " ..... 11 00 p. m
GOING EAST:
No. 2 Lightning Express ..... 10 45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " ..... 12 00 m
" 12 Accommodation ..... 7 45 p m
" 6 " ..... 9 00 a. m

PEKIN DIVISION:
DEPART:
No. 1 Accommodation ..... 6 05 a. m
" 3 Mail ..... 1 30 p. m
ARRIVE:
No. 2 Accommodation ..... 9 00 p. m
" 4 Mail ..... 11 15 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:
No. 1 Through Express ..... 3 20 a. m
" 3 Fast Express ..... 12 25 p. m
" 9 Accommodation ..... 12 30 a. m
" 5 " ..... 6 00 a. m
ARRIVE:
No. 2 Lightning Express ..... 10 40 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " ..... 11 30 a. m
" 10 Accommodation ..... 4 25 a. m
" 6 " ..... 6 15 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Sup't.
W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE I.B.&W. ROUTE.
EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur.....			3 15 p m
Ar Monticello...			4 50 "
" Champaign..			6 05 "
" Chicago.....			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign..	5 10 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville.....	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
T., W. & W. R R.			
Lv Decatur.....		12 00 m	3 15 p m
" Tolono.....		1 20 p m	12 27 a m
Ar Danville.....		2 50 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville.....	7 20 a m	3 00 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati....	9 00 p m	12 10 a m	11 50 a m
" Dayton.....	9 15 p m	10 00 a m	12 25 p m
" Columbus.....	11 45 p m	10 25 a m	3 40 p m
" Zanesville.....	1 55 a m	1 40 p m	
" Wheeling.....	5 45 a m	5 20 p m	
" Washington..	9 15 p m	7 00 a m	9 00 p m
" Baltimore.....	8 15 p m	8 30 a m	6 30 p m
" Pittsburg.....	7 05 a m	11 45 a m	12 01 a m
" Harrisburg....	3 25 p m	10 40 p m	11 55 a m
" Philadelphia	6 40 p m	2 50 a m	3 35 p m
" New York	9 25 p m	7 00 a m	6 45 p m
" Crestline.....		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland.....		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo.....		1 10 p m	
" Boston		10 00 a m	5 50 a m
" Louisville.....		11 25 p m	1 00 p m
" Nashville.....		7 35 a m	

No. 6 via T., W & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No. 8 from Champaign and Danville to Indianapolis.

Through Coaches run on No. 4 from Decatur via Danville to Cincinnati.

C. W. SMITH, Gen'l Manager.
JNO. W. BROWN, Gen'l Pass. & Tkt Agt, Indianapolis, Ind.
For further information address W. H. A. THOMPSON, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

TERRE HAUTE, PARIS & DECATUR R. R.
(Operated by Paris and Decatur R. R. Co.)
TIME TABLE.
TAKING EFFECT MAY 31st, 1874.

EAST BOUND TRAINS.
No. 1, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Decatur ..... 8:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute ..... 1:25 p. m
" Indianapolis ..... 4:15 "
No. 3, Accommodation—
Leaves Decatur ..... 3:15 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute ..... 12:40 a. m
" Indianapolis ..... 8:35 "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.
No. 2, Accommodation—
Leaves Terre Haute ..... 6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur ..... 3:00 p. m
No. 4, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Indianapolis ..... 2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute ..... 5:20 "
Arrives at Decatur at ..... 10:40 "

☞ These trains run into the Union Depot at Terre Haute.

THROUGH TICKETS via this line to all principal eastern and southern points can be obtained at the Illinois Central R. R. ticket office, and also at this Company's depot, Main street, Decatur.

C. F. FOLLETT, Gen. Ticket Agt.
D. HITCHCOCK, Gen. Sup't,
PARIS, - - ILLS.
C. H. BROWN, Local Fr't & T'k't Ag't, Decatur, Ills.
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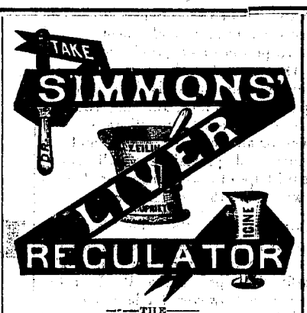

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This unrivalled Medicine is warranted not to contain a single particle of Mercury, or any injurious mineral substance, but is

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containing those Southern Roots and Herbs which an all-wise Providence has placed in countries where Liver Diseases most prevail. It will cure all diseases caused by derangement of the Liver and Bowels.

Simmons' Liver Regulator, OR MEDICINE,

is eminently a Family Medicine; and by being kept ready for immediate resort will save many an hour of suffering and many a dollar in time and doctors' bills.

After over Forty Years' trial it is still receiving the most unqualified testimonials to its virtues from persons of the highest character and responsibility. Eminent physicians commend it as the most Effectual Remedy

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

Armed with this ANTIDOTE, all climates and changes of water and food may be faced without fear. As a remedy in Malarious Fevers, Bowel Complaints, Restlessness, Jaundice, Nausea,

IT HAS NO EQUAL!

It is the cheapest, purest and best family medicine in the world. Is manufactured only by J. H. ZEILIN & CO., Macon, Ga., and Philadelphia. Price, $1,00.

FOR SALE IN DECATUR BY
J. S. HAND & CO., 10 North Water-St.
May 19, 1874-deod&wly.

Notice of Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debt.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the County Court to the October Term, A. D. 1874.

Andrew M. McKinney, Executor of the Estate of Stephen N. Blythe, deceased, *vs.* Mary D. Blythe and Joseph A. Blythe.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court, in and for said Macon county, by said Andrew M. McKinney, executor of Stephen N. Blythe, deceased, against Mary D. Blythe and Joseph A. Blythe, defendants, praying for the sale of the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township sixteen (16) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, to pay debts. And that a summons has been issued in said cause, returnable on the first day of the October term of said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon, on Monday, the 19th day of October, A. D. 1874; and unless the said defendants shall then and there appear and plead to and answer said petition, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree for sale of said premises as prayed will be entered.

H. W. WAGGONER, Clerk Macon County Court.
September 7, 1874.
NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for petitioner. [sept5-d4wd.

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September 5, 1874-daw3m.

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A SMALL FARM, of 80 acres; 25 acres tillable, and balance timber; situated one mile east of the city. Very rich land, with good, comfortable dwellings and plenty of water. Will rent buildings and lots for the winter,—or longer,—with 3 acres of excellent garden land, or more if desired.

To a Purchaser—Will take a small city residence as part pay, and give time on the balance, at ten per cent. interest, per annum. Call soon for a chance to get its good a little home as Macon county affords.

☞ Call at this office, or on the undersigned, on the premises.
Sept. 4-d4w.] JOHN STEWART.

ALF. BAILEY!
HAS GONE INTO BUSINESS AGAIN, and has opened a
Bakery AND Restaurant
—AT—
No. 11 South Main St.,
(B. B. Richard's old stand),
One door south of B. N. Adams' grocery store, where he will keep constantly on hand Bread, Cakes, Pies &c.
His success in the past, in catering for the tastes of the public, is sufficient guaranty of a like success in the future.
Weddings and Parties
Furnished with Pastry, Ice Cream, &c., at short notice. Satisfaction warranted.
May1—

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IN NEBRASKA,
Now for sale very cheap. Ten years credit, interest only 6 per cent. Send for "THE PIONEER," a handsome illustrated paper, containing the Homestead Law. A NEW NUMBER just published. Mailed free to all parts of the world. Address
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OMAHA, NEB.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M. Money Order and Registering office open from 8 a. m; to 7 p. m.

MAILS ARRIVE
From West, St. Louis, Pekin, I. B. & W., and I. & I. C. ..... 11:45 A. M.
" East ..... 12:15 P. M.
" North, South, Paris, & East of Lafayette ..... 6:00 A. M.

MAILS CLOSE
For Paris ..... 8:00 A. M.
" East, and St. Louis ..... 10:45 "
" West ..... 11:30 "
" Pekin, and I. & I. C. ..... 12:00 M.
" Chicago, and I. B. & W. ..... 2:00 P. M.
" South ..... 7:00 "
" North & East of Lafayette ..... 7:30 "

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

We Have Been Friends Together.

We have been friends together,
When life was bright and gay,
When many luring, flat'ring hopes
Lingered along our way.
We have been friends together,
When anguish wrung the heart,
And shall one light word now
Cause our twain souls part?

We have been friends together,
In sunshine and in shade,
And many, many times we've vowed
Our love would never fade,
We have wept tears together,
When sorrow filled the heart,
And shall one light word now
Cause our twain souls to part?

We have been friends together,
In sorrow's darkest night,
And when sweet joy and pleasure
Illumed our path with light,
We have been friends together,
Along life's dreary way,
And shall one light word now
Divide our love for aye?

THE EVILS OF INDULGENCE.

Nothing exhibits more clearly the necessity of resisting the beginning of evil than a contemplation of the ruin and misery men bring upon themselves. It is vainly imagined in youth that time and opportunities once lost may afterwards be recovered at will, and that, after having indulged in a course of folly, a man may turn to virtue and well doing when he pleases.—This fallacy leads many imperceptibly from step to step in the downward and treacherous steep of vice, till reason and conscience are alike unheeded, and there is ultimately no attempt, because there is no inclination to return. We do not mean to say that there are not many with strength of mind and purposes who resolutely abandon all evil courses, and live exemplary lives, but they are so rare as to offer no inducement to follow their examples, and only served to show us how desperate is the risk they run. Giving away to sinful courses has been aptly compared to being carried forward by a current swiftly, easily, pleasantly—it is not til we try to make head-way against it that we find how hard is the task. Habitual indulgence binds its votary with a chain, the firmness of whose grasp he begins to realize only when he attempts to break it. There is just this difference in the abandonment of evil habits, that the longer the effort is delayed the more difficult the task becomes. It is thus made evident that the best security for a virtuous life is to begin betimes. The inclination being led aright, early habit makes the performance of duty easy and pleasant. The most casual observation of the wrecks around us convinces us that indulgence in forbidden pleasure does not yield the gratification which it promised. There is always more or less a feeling of degradation and of self-inflicted ostracism, which all his boistrous mirth and the boldness inspired by the presence and applause of kindred associates, fail entirely to dissipate. How often is he arrested by the thought of an anxious father, a weeping mother, or distressed wife? Their tears and prayers seem to haunt him. The black sheep in the family, although his name is not often heard, is more an object of anxiety than are steady, stay-at-home, well-to-do boys and girls, who nestle under the parental roof tree.

The vegetable that young ladies love is to mate-oh.

It makes a great difference whether glasses are used over or under the nose.

What is the difference between the outer wall of a bridge and two nice young ladies? The one is a parapet, and the others are a pair of pets.

A young lady being asked by a rich bachelor, "If not yourself, who would you rather be?" replied, sweetly and modestly, "Yours, truly."

"Pat, buy a trunk to put your clothes in," said his Yankee companion. "What, an go naked this cold weather?" asked the honest spelpeen.

Pride takes an early start in San Francisco. When a lad breaks loose from his mother's apron-strings and secures a position at three dollars per week, the first thing he does after that is to hire a Chinaman to run errands for him.

"Dear me, how fluidly he talks," said Mrs. Partington, recently at a temperance meeting. "I am always rejoiced when he mounts the nostrils, for his eloquence charms every cartridge in my body."

The following notice is creating some little amusement in New Bedford, Mass.:

"All persons having unlicensed dogs are requested to call on the city clerk and obtain one."

"Kate, I understand you have accepted a situation as governess. Rather than that, I would marry a widower with six children."

"Yes, dear Sophie, and so would I; but where's the widower?"

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

We, the delegated representatives of the Republican party of Illinois, declare the following to be substantially our political belief:

1. That emancipation and enfranchisement having been secured by the Thirteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and by appropriate legislation for their enforcement; and equality of civil rights having been guaranteed by the Fourteenth Amendment, such guaranty should be enforced by appropriate statutes, so that the broad aegis of Federal power may be over black and white citizens alike.

2. That, as one of the consequences of the late civil war, about $382,000,000 of non-interest bearing Treasury notes were issued to, and are now held by, the people as a safe and convenient currency, it would be unwise and inexpedient, in the present financial condition of the people, to attempt the immediate cancellation of any portion of such Treasury notes.

3. That the laws for the establishment of national banks having secured to the States and Territories the best system of bank circulation ever before afforded the people, it should be no longer confined to a privileged class, but should be free to all alike, under general and equal laws, the aggregate volume of currency to be regulated by the untrammeled laws of trade.

4. That we re-affirm the declaration of the National Republican Convention of 1872, in favor of a return to specie payment at the earliest practicable day.

5. That we commend the measures which have passed the popular branch of Congress, looking to the cheapening and perfection of Inter-State railway transportation, and the improvement of navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river.

6. That we are in favor of an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of the President and Vice President by the direct vote of the people, without the intervention of the Electoral College.

7. That the Republican party proposes to respect the rights reserved by the people to themselves, as carefully as the powers delegated by them to the State and Federal Governments; and it will aim to secure the rights and privileges of the citizen without regard to nativity or creed; and it is opposed to interference by law with the habits, tastes or customs of individuals, except to suppress licentiousness or to preserve the peace and safety of the citizens of the State.

8. That while we accord to the railway companies of this State the fullest measure of property rights, we also demand for the people reasonable charges and rigid impartiality in the transportation of passengers and freight—such guaranty to be secured by appropriate State and National legislation.

Relying upon the foregoing declaration of principles and policy, and upon the broad, clear record of the Republican party during its fifteen years of State and Federal administration, we appeal once more to that silent yet conclusive tribunal, the ballot-box, confident that the people will endorse overwhelmingly the action of this representative Convention.

BUY THE
HOME SEWING MACHINE!
IT
Has no superior as a first-class Lock-Stitch Sewing Machine, and is sold for less than half the money.
WE WILL PAY $1,000 IN GOLD
For a Machine that can excel Ours. Agents wanted everywhere. Address,
HOME SEWING MACHINE CO.
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TEETH, *Dental Establishment*
IN CHICAGO.
Full Set Best Gum Teeth for only $8.
Why pay $20 or $30 elsewhere for same. Money refunded in every instance where perfect satisfaction is not given. Teeth extracted without pain. First class Filling, by our most skillful operators, at half the usual rates. Randolph, cor. Clark St.
DR. W. B. McCHESNEY.

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HAIR LUXURIANT
Positively creates new Hair on bald heads. The most Perfect Hair Dressing in use. Don't fail to buy a bottle when visiting the Great Exposition.
BELL MANN, & CO., Prop's,
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One block from Exposition Building.

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GREAT DRY GOODS! FIRE SALE
Will be continued until every article saved from the late fire is sold, this offers an unusual opportunity to parties, visiting Chicago to make their purchases at about 50 cents on the dollar.
63 & 65 WASHINGTON ST.,
Bet. State and Dearborn, CHICAGO.

CHILDREN'S KILT SUITS,
BOYS' SUITS,
MEN'S SUITS,
TO SUIT EVERY ONE,
AT THE
BOSTON SQUARE DEALING CLOTHING
House, S. E. Cor. of Clark and Madison Sts., Chicago.
Any article bought of this House can be returned, if not suited, and the money will be refunded. [sep19-d4w.

FOR SALE!

A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, on the corner of West Main and Pine streets. Will be sold very low. For information inquire, at Dr. Sibley's office, of
GILBERT FERRY.
Sept. 11-dawtf.

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NO. 9 WATER ST.,
Has on sale the Celebrated
SATISFACTION! COOK STOVE,
—THE—
Best in the World.

And other styles Heating Stoves.

ALSO, A FULL LINE OF
HARDWARE
OF ALL KINDS,
As Cheap as the Cheapest
11.—dawtf

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Property for Sale

THE UNDERSIGNED has a desirable story and a half residence to sell, cheap for cash, or will trade for property in Decatur. The house contains five rooms; good cellar, well and cistern; and a first-rate barn, 25x26, on the premises; shrubbery and fruit trees. He will also sell his
Business House and Stock of Goods,
Consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Hats and Caps Notions, etc. Will trade business house for property in Decatur, and sell goods cheap for cash or trade them for goods in Decatur.
For further particulars address the undersigned.
T. C. DRINKALL,
Sep23-d3m] MACON, ILLINOIS.

Commissioner's Sale
—OF A—
VALUABLE FARM!
Near Harristown, Macon Co., Ill.

RICHARD M. HAMILTON, et al. vs. JOHN W. HAMILTON, et al.

Public notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the August term, A. D. 1874, of the circuit court within and for the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell, on

Saturday, the 31st day of October,

A. D. 1874, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28), in township seventeen (17) north, range one (1) east of third principal meridian; also, the south half of the northeast quarter of said section, township and range, containing 240 acres.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of purchase money cash in hand; balance in two equal payments, due, respectively, in one and two years from day of said sale, to be secured by notes bearing six per cent. interest per annum, and mortgage on said lands. Said lands will be offered in 80 acre tracts, or all together, to suit purchasers. Sale to commence at 1½ o'clock p. m.

Decatur, Ill., September 19, 1874.
REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER, Special Commissioner, &c.
September 21-did.

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September 2, 1874-d1w.

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FURNITURE DEALERS,
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Goods packed and shipped without extra charge.

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CINCINNATI, OHIO,
Manufacturers of the CELEBRATED
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Brands Fine-cut Chewing Tobacco. FIRST PREMIUM awarded at the Cincinnati Exposition, 1872 and 1873.
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ATTORNEY AT LAW.
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St. Nicholas Hotel,
N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS
South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois
Bus to and from the c'ys.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Bunker's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1873—d3mos

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 15, 1873-dwtf.

H. L. ODOR. E. S. ELDRIDGE.
ODOR & ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEYS at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [july 8, 1874-d1y

EDWIN PARK,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [June10,'74-tf.

C. C. McCOMAS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 16, 1873-dawtf.

B. I. Stotrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-d1f.

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May 21, 1874-dawtf.

DR. L. T. PEASE.
OFFICE—Over the Post Office. Residence—No. 8, Prairie street.
May 14, '74-dawly

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Dillon & Davidson
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Tecumseh Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [feb20-w1y.

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BUNN & BROWN,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS at Law, Decatur, Ill. Office, over W. J. Brown's drug store, No. 32, southeast corner of East Main and Water Sts.
June 25, 1874-dawtf.

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hamner & Co's Bank. [J11-d&w.t

DR. P. B. SPARKS,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.
OFFICE:—Over the new Post Office. Residence—No. 23 West Wood street.
April 21, 1874—d6m*.

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179 YOUNG LADIES AND GENTLEMEN wanted immediately to learn Telegraphing. Students furnished with positions on a regular commercial line as soon as competent
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 29.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S RIDGWAY,
Of Gallatin.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
Of Lee.

For Congress, 14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
Of Douglas.

For Sheriff,
ISAAC D. JENNINGS.

For Coroner,
M. Y. GIVLER.

IN view of the fact that the authorities of Chicago have failed to comply with the demands made by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the Executive Committee of that institution recommend that all companies belonging to the Board, discontinue the business of fire insurance in that city on and after the 1st of October.

SINGLETON and Richardson are making it hot for the "Opposition" in Adams county. The Greenback Democracy propose to hold a grand barbacue on the fair grounds, at Quincy, on the 1st of October, and every arrangement is being made for a vigorous campaign. Of course, Republicans enjoy the situation hugely.

THE New Orleans *Bulletin* proposes that the people of every parish in Louisiana shall drive out the officers duly elected and usurp their places. It thinks that this course would require a larger Federal force to restore them than the government can raise. If a few of the infernal scoundrels who are giving such advice as the above to the southern people were hung at the start, it might make much less use for Federal troops hereafter.

The Springfield *Journal*, after taking a survey of the political field in the State, and noticing the qualifications of the respective candidates on the ticket, says: "The obligation resting upon the Republican party of Illinois to achieve a victory at the coming election was never greater than now. Our loyal friends in the South are looking with eager interest to the verdict Illinois shall give on the barbarous and inhuman outrages that have been perpetrated in that section upon defenceless victims of Ku-Klux vengeance for the sole crime of Republicanism. A Republican victory here and in other Northern States will be construed by both parties, into condemnation of those atrocious wrongs, and will be the surest pledge of future peace and security for all classes, while an opposite verdict will offer encouragement to the enemies of peace and order, and re-establish in the South horrors scarcely surpassed by the war period. Vigilance, energy and sagacious effort from now until the polls are closed on the 3d of November, should be the watchword in every district, county and precinct in the State. Let this be done—taking nothing for granted, but omitting no effort or labor necessary to secure a full Republican vote—and victory will perch on the Republican banners as surely as the sun shall set on the evening of the 3d of November."

THE Atlanta (Ga.) *News*, the organ of the Force Leaguers in that portion of the south, advised the people of Louisiana to "see to it that the funerals of the whole Kellogg gang take place before the New Year dawns." A Republican paper, published in the same city, expressed the hope that such infamous sentiments found no general response in the south, and declared the writer of them to be "a harmless but pronounced lunatic," whereupon the gentle *News* indignantly responds:

"Perhaps four-fifths of the white citizens of Atlanta are lunatics, but we do not believe it. However, we assert here that four-fifths of the white people of Georgia echo the advice given by us to the people of Louisiana to see to it that 'the funeral services of the whole Kellogg gang takes place before the New Year dawns.' At least one hundred gentlemen of this city endorsed that 'infamous' sentiment in person to the editor of this paper. He may be a lunatic, but there is a vast amount of method in his lunacy."

Now the North desires peace, and what is more, it will have it. "Reconciliation and the equal rights of all" it will adopt as its motto, and act upon it, but it will insist on a return. Men must cease to be murdered for their politics and their color, and the idea of the nationality, the all pervading power and privileges of citizenship, must be respected.—*Philadelphia Press.*

THE BLACK HILLS.

The Chicago *Journal* thus concisely—and, as we believe, about correctly—sums up the recent information in regard to the much-trumpeted Black Hills:

The facts in regard to the Black Hills region, gleaned here and there, from officer, soldier and civilian of the late expedition, are coming to light, about as follows: First, there appears to be found, extracted and brought away from the Black Hills by the entire expedition, about $3 worth of gold. Second, it is pretty conclusively understood by some that the ore from which the said gold was obtained was *imported*—that is, the hills were "salted!" Third, the area of land valuable for cultivation is so very small that it is lost in the great lengths of only moderately good soil. Fourth, the timber land is composed of spruce, yellow-pine and cottonwood of stunted growth, such as is usually found in the stretch of land between the Missouri river and the Rocky Mountains. Fifth, that the Black Hills region is not particularly rich, either in soil, timber or mineral wealth, and is in every respect just such a neighbor as one might expect to find of that mysterious country lying to the north of it, known by the natives as "The Bad Lands." Why not, then, let Red Cloud and Spotted Tail and their followers enjoy their possession of that region undisturbed.

MR. BEECHER HOME AGAIN.

From the N. Y. Sun, of Friday.

Mr. Beecher arrived in New York at 5:30 p. m., yesterday, and went at once to his home. He came on the lightning express train from Nashua, via Worcester, Springfield, Hartford and New Haven. Wherever the train stopped the station was thronged by the multitude, and the great preacher warmly greeted by his friends. He was much fatigued after his speech-making at Plymouth and amateur engine running from Lake Village to Nashua, Wednesday night. But as soon as he stepped on the cars yesterday morning his bright eye and elastic tread proclaimed that he was himself again. His sister, Mrs. Perkins, accompanied him as far as Hartford. The rest of the way he rode alone. Many came up and grasped him by the hand, but he invited no one to take the seat by his side that had been vacated by his sister on their arrival at Hartford.

WANT OF CREDIT ABROAD.

From the New York Herald.

When people wonder why our credit is dead in foreign lands, let them remember that three hundred and fifty millions of railway bonds are in default. In other words, we have borrowed this vast sum of money to improve the country and we do not pay the interest. This is a shameful act—one of the dark omens of the policy of repudiation which threatens our future. We should so amend our laws that a fact like this would be impossible. What better question could be discussed in a national convention.

THERE is a dry town in Pennsylvania. Citizens of Conshohocken want to know what has become of their water supply. Some millions of gallons have disappeared in a night, and there have been no disasters to account for the change in the supply.—About two years ago, enterprising citizens of the town found the water supply inadequate, and constructed works to furnish the city. A reservoir was built upon a hill, and water pumped into it from the Schuylkill River. The reservoir was substantially built, and no accident was looked for. A day or two ago the keeper of the toll-gate, which is near the reservoir, noticed that a part of the fence around the reservoir had disappeared in the night. On inspecting the premises he made the further discovery that a part of the embankment had sunk bodily out of sight, leaving a hole about 30 feet in circumference, and that the greater portion of the water in the reservoir had accompanied it. Soundings failed to give any measurement of the depth of this orifice, and now the good people are puzzled what to do for a water supply. It is rumored that, as the Town of Conshohocken is found to be so near the Bottomless Pit, the inhabitants are undecided whether to change its name to Brooklyn or Kansas City.

THE New York *Herald*, in a long editorial on the "Civil War in Louisiana," says:

"The late Chief Justice Taney, in the Dorr rebellion case, decided that when a conflict arose between rival State Governments the President should decide which Governor was lawfully in power and sustain that power by the Federal authority. * * * The die has been cast. The President's proclamation commits the government to the suppression of the revolution. * * * We must sustain the President. It is his duty to preserve the Union. The Union cannot be preserved without law, and there can be no law with revolution. In this he speaks the voice of the American nation, which will respond to him as it responded to Lincoln when Fort Sumter fell. * * * We cannot tolerate an appeal from the ballot to the barricade. The most righteous government in the world would be sinful if it rested upon a revolution like this of Penn. Such performances may do in France and Spain, or the Republic of Central and South America. We cannot permit them in the United States."

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Alleged Kidnapping and Gubernatorial Correspondence Relative Thereto.

$1,350,000 Legal Tenders Exchanged for National Bank Notes.

Senator West Deals in Sarcasm and Sense.

$20,000 REWARD FOR CHARLEY ROSS STILL IN FORCE.

Letter of Acceptance of Bishop Seymour.

A Big Haul of Counterfeiters by Treasury Detectives.

Austria Sends Arctic Expedition Next Year.

Review of European Crop Prospects.

Senator Schurz Addresses a Meeting at Macon, Mo.

GEN. EMORY AND MARSHAL PACKARD'S CONDUCT REVIEWED.

(Special Dispatch to the Republican)

MAROA, ILL., Sept. 29.

K. H. Roby nominated for Senator on first ballot.

E. B. Harrold and Dr. J. H. Tyler, both of DeWitt county, nominated for Representatives.

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SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 28.—The following communication was received by the Governor relative to the kidnapping of a citizen of this State:

METROPOLIS, ILL., Sept. 25, 1874.

Gov. J. L. Beveridge, Springfield:

DAR SIR: On Monday evening last two men, one by the name of Rufus Ward, and the other Anderson, crossed over the Ohio river into our county, and kidnapped a good citizen. Ward and Anderson claimed that Smith had killed a man in Henry county, Tennessee, eleven years ago, and was tried by a military court and cleared, and a short time since was indicted by the grand jury of Henry county, Tennessee, and that they had a requisition from the Governor of Tennessee on the Governor of Kentucky for Smith's arrest, but not finding him in Kentucky, crossed into this county, where Smith has lived for several years, and kidnapped and carried him away. Mr. Smith has the name of being a good, quiet citizen of this county by rebels of Tennessee, and would respectfully ask that you use your authority in this case that justice may be done.

Yours, &c., J. C. WALLIS.

The following is the communication addressed to the Governor of Tennessee by Gov. Beveridge:

SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 28, 1874.

To His Excellency, Hon. Jno. C. Brown, Governor of Tennessee:

SIR—It is represented to me by responsible citizens of Massac county, Ill., that on the night of the 21st inst., one Rufus Ward and one Anderson crossed the Ohio river and forcibly siezed and carried away out of the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, without authority of law, one George W. Smith, a citizen of Massac county. It is said Smith killed a man during the war, some twelve or fourteen years ago, in Henry county, Tenn., and was tried by court martial and acquitted. Ward and Anderson claimed to be from Henry county, Tennessee; that an indictment for murder on said charge was pending in said Henry county against said Smith; that they had a requisition for said Smith from your Excellency upon the Governor of Kentucky, and that they intended to take him [Smith] to Henry county, Tenn., for trial on said indictment. Without considering the guilt or innocence of said Smith, it is apparent that he has been taken from the jurisdiction of this State without due process of law. Therefore respectfully demand of your Excellency, if found within the jurisdiction of the State of Tennessee, his safe and speedy return to the State of Illinois; and it is further apparent that said Ward and Anderson have violated the laws of this State, and are guilty of a great crime; therefore, I ask that they may be arrested and held in custody, to await a requisition from this State. Very respectfully yours,

JOHN L. BEVERIDGE, Gov.

A WASHINGTON letter says that Mr. and Mrs. Sartoris are not expected back until January, when the President and Mrs. Grant hope to see them and keep them six months. It is said the rooms set apart for them at the White House are very elegant. The White House is undergoing its annual repairs.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Senator West, of Louisiana, has made public a letter dated September 27, and addressed to Collector Casey, New Orleans, on the political affairs of the State, Governor Kellogg's abandonment of the executive office on the occasion of the Penn revolution, and the Governor's imputation of intentional bomb-proof absenteeism. West says that many are of the opinion that Gov. Kellogg would have displayed greater heroism and confidence in his own right to the chief magistracy had he dismissed his, of necessity, inefficient defenders, and bravely stood alone in the maintainance of his executive rights yielding them only to personal ejection. If Governor Kellogg regrets my absence he knows that I visited the North at his written request, to lay before the President the condition of affairs in Louisiana, and to solicit federal support for his government when its integrity should be imperiled. If he wants his political friends who are absent to assume fighting garb, they may prefer some other leader. Generally, the Kellogg administration, since it came into power, has been exercised in the true interests of the State. It is environed with difficulties sufficient to dismay the stoutest heart, and it has of late received such a shock as to make its most determined supporters doubt whether it is competent to exact obedience to its authority, even with the assistance of the parent government. In regard to the recent conference, the Senator says: Propositions looking to the avoidance of fraud in the elections, though eminently just, and should by all means be adopted, should be preceded by a promise and guaranty on the part of the Democrats to prevent murder, protect life, and assure and admit a free expression of opinion.

MACON, Mo., Sept, 28.—Senator Schurz addressed a mass meeting here to-day and in the course of his speech took occasion to reply to the recent correspondence between Marshal Packard and General Emory, in which Packard, referring to the remarks of Schurz in a former speech, in which he intimated that the United States troops in Louisiana were to be used in controlling the election, asks Gen. Emory if he (Packard) has ever applied the troops to such purposes and Gen. Emory answers in the negative, declaring that such attempts would be resented by the officers and men.

The Senator commended Gen. Emory for repelling the idea that United States troops could be used for political purposes, and doubts not that he describes the true feelings of the soldiers when he says the soldiers themselves would resent indignantly such an attempt. However party managers do say how these soldiers can be used for such purposes, and recalls Kellogg's inauguration of the Kellogg government in 1872, which, though having no shadow of honest selection, was protected by the U. S. troops.

The soldiers may have been indignant then, but they had to obey orders however lamentable, which such men in Louisiana know how to obtain. However this may be, it is of the highest importance not only to have an honest election, but for the people to see it is such, and to this end no man can have the least influence over the employment of United States troops in the coming election who was an accomplice of the usurpation in 1872.

The Senator then refers to the proposition made by the McEnery government for selecting a Returning Board, namely, that it should be composed of two members from each party, and the fifth selected jointly by the other four as umpire, and declares this was the only proper method where such corruption is carried on as in the Louisiana elections. He declares the United States government owes it to itself and to the honest people of the country to remove such a man from the place he uses to dishonor his government and to create false prejudice against it among people who wish to be loyal to it, and who is to-day the only obstacle in the way of a peaceful compromise between contending factions in Louisiana.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The City Council to-night ordered to engrossment the ordinance appropriating $264,000 for the purchase of additional fire engines and apparatus for the fire department. An ordinance was also introduced authorizing the Comptroller to negotiate a loan of $500,000, which amount is to be expended in laying additional water mains in the business part of the city. This was referred to the Finance Committee, who, it is said, will report it favorably, and its passage is deemed certain.

Hon. James G. Blaine, Speaker of U. S. House of Representatives, is in the city.

Bishop Seymour has written a letter containing his acceptance of the position of Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Illinois.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The National Bank Redemption Agency has called upon the National Banks, within the last six days, for about one million three hundred and fifty thousand dollars in legal tender notes, to reimburse it for their notes redeemed. Other calls will follow at the rate of about seven hundred and fifty thousand per day, until sufficient legal tenders have been received to justify resumption of redemption. The date of resumption will depend somewhat upon the promptness with which the banks respond to the call.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—The reward of $20,000 in the Ross case is still in force, and Allen Pinkerton announces that the same will be relinquished by him and his force to parties who shall give information which shall lead to the recovery of the child and the capture of its abductors.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 28.—The United States secret detective of the Treasury Department this morning overhauled, at the Adams Express office, a box containing a large amount of counterfeit money and counterfeiters tools. It belonged to an extensive gang that had been operating in North Carolina, East Tennessee, West Virginia and Kentucky. Six of them have been captured.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 28.—The *Price Current* of this afternoon says of western produce and provisions: Under the present cash or monthly accounts system trade is in a state of suspension just now, awaiting the proceeds of the staples to fill unexecuted orders or all sorts of goods, and for produce and provisions of all kinds. Inward trips of coast packets are looked for with more than usual interest.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The Mark Lane *Express* in its review of crop prospects says the recent rains have materially benefitted crops. There has been too much rain, however, for late potatoes, which have shown a commencement of disease. The grass possesses the verdure of spring, which will enable growers to carry their stock through the winter, notwithstanding the deficiency in the hay and straw crops. The wheat trade shows neither encouraging nor discouraging features. Prices in France are lower, but elsewhere on the continent they are unchanged, except at Odessa, where the market is firmer, in the hope that the fine quality of the crop will eventually secure better prices.

VIENNA, Sept. 28.—The Austrian Government will dispatch an expedition to the Arctic regions next year to ascertain whether the land discovered by the expedition just returned, and named Franz Joseph's land, is a portion of a continent or an island. The expedition will be divided, half going by way of Siberia and the other by way of Greenland.

THE Tazewell county *Republican* says:

"We have cheering news from Logan county. The Republican party stands a unit. The late outbreak in Louisiana has turned the faces of the loyal masses against any compromise or political fellowship with the party or men of the North who sympathized with the South in the late rebellion, and we are informed that they will go to the ballot-box on the 3d of November and boldly re-assert their devotion to the cause of the Union and their adherence to the principles of the Republican party, by supporting its nominees for State, district and county offices."

ON the 17th inst. at Wellsboro, Pa., five masked men effected an entrance to the residence of President Robinson, of the First National Bank, and gagged and bound the occupants, President Robinson Cashier Robinson, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Smith, a daughter of Robinson. Then compelled the Cashier to accompany them to the bank and throw open the vault, when they helped themselves to about $50,000, principally in currency. Returning with Mr. Robinson to his home they placed the members of the family face to face and told them to converse freely. They took from the fingers of Mrs. Smith a ring valued at $800 kissed Mrs. Robinson who fainted and then took their departure.

THE New York *Herald* says: "Mr. Tilden cannot poll the full vote of his own party; much less can he draw off any votes from the Republicans. In the western part of the State, Democratic votes for Governor will be traded off against votes for members of the Assembly. The Democracy, despairing of the Governor, will try to secure the senatorial election in the legislature, and they will feel that they sacrifice nothing by exchanging votes for the Assembly which may assure the chance of a Democratic Senator. Mr. Tilden will be one of the worst beaten candidates that ever ran for the Governorship of this State."

IN compliance with the request of Gov. Osborn, the State of Kansas is to be supplied with arms for the protection of the frontier.

ACCORDING to a census just completed, the present population of Minnesota is 522,000, and the value of taxable property $217,000,000.

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WHITE GRANITE QUEENSWARE!
A Large Assortment,
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AT LIDDLE'S.

HEAVY TIN-WARE,
HEATING & COOK STOVES.
STOVE ZINC BOARDS
Stoves put up at an hours' notice,
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WHICH WE ARE ALREADY RECEIVING.

September 3, 1874-dawtf.

DRY GOODS.

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New Stock of Fall and Winter Goods has arrived, and is opened and ready for the inspection of the Public.

His Stock consists of a complete line of Dress Goods, Silks, Flannels, Jeans, Cassimeres, Domestics, Shawls, Blankets and Bed Quilts. Also a full line of Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

We have also added a full line of GERMANTOWN YARNS.

We are also Agents for the celebrated New Brand EXPOSITION ALPACA, to which we especially invite the Attention of the Ladies. Don't forget the place,

No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.

Decatur, September 15, 1874-dtf

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WAYNE BROTHERS,

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Largely increased Dining Rooms, Lunch Rooms and Restaurant, ample for any number of visitors. The Bill of Fare and Prices fixed by the Managers. There will be no other exhibition in this country during 1874 where the visitor can find so much that is entertaining and instructive at a cost so trifling. Let all come with the certainty of not being in the least disappointed. All railroads give excursion tickets at reduced rates during the time of the Exposition. [septil-d

New Advertisements.

TO CONTRACTORS
—AND—
BUILDERS!

SEALED PROPOSALS for doing all the work and furnishing all the materials necessary to enclose the entire building for the Decatur Baptist Church. Also, sealed proposals for furnishing all the materials and doing all the work necessary to enclose and complete the Chapel of said building, will be received by the Trustees at the office of D. P. Elwood, until 12 o'clock noon, Oct. 15, 1874. The work to be done according to plans and specifications, which may be examined at the office of Elwood & Co.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

For further information apply to

THE TRUSTEES.

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 22, 1874-d&wtd

MASTER'S SALE.

SAMUEL LOWE vs. HARRIS T. WILLIAMS, et al.

Public notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the August term, A. D. 1874, of the circuit court within and for the county of Macon and state of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on the

26th day of October, A. D. 1874,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sun set of said day, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to wit:

Lot No. four (4), in block No. fifteen (15), in the recorded plat of the town of Maroa.

Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

Decatur, Ill., September 25th, 1874

R. H. MEHLWEATHER,
Master in Chancery, for Macon Co., Ill.

September 25, 1874-d4w.

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The Daily Republican.

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 29.

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Local Notices will be inserted at Ten Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAY.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...A heavy white frost this morning.

...Fresh Oysters every day at Hotchkiss'.

...Jim Hall drove down three express wagons.

...Improvements in the second ward are going on with a vengeance.

..."Runners" are as thick in town as bees in a white clover patch.

...Neidermeyer keeps a splendid article of family washing soap.

...Our merchants are now ready to dispense their fall goods to their customers.

...The stage coaches take the way more eastward than westward this fall.

...Kitchen's tea and coffee are superb, and his spices pure.

...Passenger business continues fair on all the railroads.

...Rabbits and quail are unusually abundant on the markets this fall.

...Jack & Son have a very superior article of Java coffee.

...The white frost of Friday morning was a vision of glory to coal and stove men.

...A new house is being erected near the corner of College and William streets.

...The express companies are doing a lively business just now.

...Go to J. Ullrich & Son's for sugar-cured hams and pickled pigs.

...Hay, wood and corn are coming in from the country quite freely at present.

...Pratt & Sen have just received a fresh supply of those superior syrups.

...Frank Hatten will soon move into his residence, just erected, on the corner of William and College streets.

...A. A. Sanford has built a bay window put in the eastern part of his house, corner of College and Prairie streets.

...The matrimonial mania is on the increase. We hear rumors of approaching weddings both in high and humble life.

...Call upon I. J. Davis for whatever you may want in the line of stationery.

...The quiet of the town is ominous, as is the dead calm that precedes a storm at sea.

...Andy Kepler is supplying the million with those choice cigars for which his establishment has become so noted.

...Wm. L. Hammer, Esq., has sold his interest in the *Magnet & Tribune* to the present proprietors.

...Walton's brick building, two doors east of the post-office, is to be repainted. This will greatly improve its appearance.

...A number of brick masons are now busily engaged at work in South Macon, constructing several brick buildings in that thriving burg.

...Sidewalk improvements are much needed on North Church street, especially at several points between Prairie and Eldorado streets.

...About 7 o'clock this morning a fellow well charged with "benzine" was sitting on his carpetbag at the corner of East Main and Water streets, taking a quiet snooze.

...The small boys at the second ward school complain that they cannot have the whole yard to play in. They are forbidden to trample down the grass in the front yard.

...Ask your dealer for "RUFF'S SUGAR BRAND OYSTERS," and satisfy yourself that a can *full of good oysters is cheaper* than a can of water with a few poor sickly oysters floating in it.

...Another large invoice of furniture for W. F. Busher was taken from the Paris depot and put up in his new house, on the corner of Macon and Prairie streets. Mr. Busher commenced moving in to-day.

...Under the new management of Mr. Frank W. Wentworth, the "Sherman House," at Chicago, has become more popular than ever before. Go there when in that city.

...Brakemen on the passenger trains of the T., W. & W. Railway have what is vulgarly termed a "soft thing." Beyond assisting passengers in and out of the coaches, and crying the stations on the line, they have nothing else of importance to do.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 29.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...A heavy white frost this morning.

...Fresh Oysters every day at Imboden's.

...Jim Hart is now running three express wagons.

...Improvements in the second ward are going on with a vengeance.

..."Runners" are as thick in town as bees in a white clover patch.

...Neidermeyer keeps a splendid article of family washing soap.

...Our merchants are now ready to dispense their fall goods to their customers.

...The star of empire takes its way more eastward than westward this fall.

...Kitchen's tea and coffee are superb, and his spices pure.

...Passenger business continues light on all the railroads.

...Rabbits and quail are unusually abundant on the prairies this fall.

...Jack & Son have a very superior article of Java coffee.

...The white frost of this morning was a vision of glory to coal and stove men.

...A new house is being erected near the corner of College and William streets.

...The express companies are doing a lively business just now.

...Go to J. Ullrich & Co.'s for sugar-cured hams and pickled pork.

...Hay, wood and corn are coming in from the country quite freely at present.

...Pratt & Son have just received a fresh supply of those superb syrups.

...Frank Haines will soon move into his residence, just erected, on the corner of William and College streets.

...A. A. Murray has had a bay window put in the eastern part of his house, corner of College and Prairie streets.

...The matrimonial mania is on the increase. We hear rumors of approaching weddings both in high and humble life.

...Call upon I. J. Davis for whatever you may want in the line of stationery.

...The quiet of the town is ominous, as is the dead calm that precedes a storm at sea.

...Andy Kepler is supplying the million with those choice cigars for which his establishment has become so noted.

...Wm. L. Hammer, Esq., has sold his interest in the *Magnet & Tribune* to the present proprietors.

...Walton's brick building, two doors east of the post-office, is to be repainted. This will greatly improve its appearance.

...A number of brick masons are now busily engaged at work in South Macon, constructing several brick buildings in that thriving burg

...Sidewalk improvements are much needed on North Church street, especially at several points between Prairie and Eldorado streets.

...About 7 o'clock this morning a fellow well charged with "benzine" was sitting on his carpetbag at the corner of East Main and Water streets, taking a quiet snooze.

...The small boys at the second ward school complain that they cannot have the whole yard to play in. They are forbidden to trample down the grass in the front yard.

...Ask your dealer for "RUFUS SQUARE BRAND OYSTERS," and satisfy yourself that a can *full of good oysters* is *cheaper* than a can of water with a few poor sickly oysters floating in it. 25-dtw

...Another large invoice of furniture for W. F. Busher was taken from the Paris depot and put up in his new house, on the corner of Macon and Prairie streets. Mr. Busher commenced movin; in to-day.

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THE GYPSY TROUBLE NOT YET ENDED.

That ruffian Tuten, who made a cowardly assault on the old Gypsy Brewer, and his wife, Friday last, is in a bad way to-day. This morning he went up to 'Squire Hughes in his office, and commenced using profane language and heaping all sorts of abuse upon the Justice. He claimed that his witnesses proved conclusively that he was justified in battering the hide of the old Gypsy, and said that if justice had been done him he would have had a cent.

The 'Squire remonstrated, but the half-intoxicated ruffian continued his volley of abusive words until his vocabulary was exhausted, when he remained quiet a moment to hear the 'Squire, who commenced by stating that the fine was assessed much too low, and that if he had the case before him again he would most certainly fine him (Jones,) to the full extent of the law.

After a little more grumbling Jones said that his object in coming to the office was to have "Gypsy Brewer" arrested and fined. The old man was arrested, and the Justice set the trial for Friday.

Progress of the Work on the P. A. & D. R. R.—We learn from the Atlanta *Argus*, of the 26th, that a construction train on the P., A. & D. R. R. has been busily engaged in taking railroad iron, and ties to the point where track is now being laid—near Minier. In all 58 cars of ties and 22 of iron had been received for last week. The pay-car came along the first of this week and restored confidence among the hands, and work now goes on with a vigor never before known. Let us hope that the work may always progress in this manner until the road has finally reached Decatur.

Double Wedding this Evening.—This evening at 6 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's father, John Stickel, Esq., of Long Creek township, Mr. Geo. W. Waggoner, of the firm of Barnett & Waggoner, of this city, will be united in marriage with Miss Kate Stickel; and Mr. Zeigler will at the same time and place, take for better or worse, Miss Sue Stickel, a younger daughter of the same family.—Both couple will leave for the east on the 11 o'clock train to-night.

Arrest of Thieves.—About four weeks ago one John Ready and his son Lyfus Ready, run off from Topeka, Kansas, a pair of mules, with wagon and harness, upon which they had executed a chattel mortgage. The parties in that vicinity, who were the sufferers by this operation, got track of the absconding men and traced them to this county. On yesterday morning an officer from Topeka, armed with a requisition from the Governor of Kansas upon Governor Beveridge, called upon Sheriff Jennings and made known his business. The Sheriff being busy, turned the matter over to Marshal Haworth, who soon got upon the trail, and followed the parties to a farm, about twelve miles southwest of town, near Musquito Creek, where they had a contract at cutting up corn. Here the Marshal, accompanied by the Kansas officer, found the men, mules, harness and wagon.—They immediately took the men into custody, and brought them and the team to this city. The men were committed to jail until to day at noon, when the officer left with them for Topeka. They had been in this county about three weeks, and only a few days ago completed a job of cutting corn for Mr. Harnsbarger, of Whitmore township. Marshal Haworth took the case about 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon had the men in this city.

A Big Yield.—Mr. C. M. Dillinger, living ten miles northwest of Decatur, harvested twelve acres of winter wheat this season that averaged 32½ bushels to the acre, which weighed 61 lbs. to the bushel.

For Superb Sweet Cider, go to Joseph McCreary's, on Prairie street.

Help for the Hopeless.—You are weak, dejected, miserable, and nothing does you any good, you say. Don't despair. There is balm in Gilead. Have you tried Vinegar Bitters? No! Then why don't you? Do not insist that such a thing as a *vital elixir* is impossible before you have tested the properties of this marvelous Vegetable Restorative. Whether your complaint be dyspepsia, biliousness, nervous weakness, constitutional debility, or any other trouble, Vinegar Bitters will revive and renovate your shattered system, as a genial rain refreshes the withered flowers. 25-d&w4w

Wedding Suits made to order at Race's. 3-d-tf.

The Question Answered—"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are *less* in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the Case and Package, which gives them great advantage over small dealers. jan 2-d&wly

A Heavy Line of nickel-plated Traveling Bags, at Race's. 29-dtf

All Aboard for the Expositions.—The Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western Railway are selling tickets to Indianapolis and return for $6.40,—tickets good for eight days from date of sale.

Tickets to Louisville, Ky., and return for $9.55,—tickets good from date of sale until Oct. 17th.

Tickets to Cincinnati, O., and return for $10.40,—tickets good from date of sale until Oct 3rd. [sep-d&w1m

...The brickmasons now at work on Ullrich's new packing house, say that they will complete their work to-morrow.

MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION.

The directors of the Association met at the parlors of the Riggs House, Monday evening, Dr. W. A. Barnes in the chair.

There was a full meeting of the Board, and the following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That a committee, to consist of the President, Secretary and Treasurer, be appointed to compile by-laws of the Association and rules of order for the Board of Directors.

Resolved, That the committee on publication be instructed to procure information relative to a railroad map for use on letter heads, and the cost of electrotyping the same.

Resolved, That the President be authorized to correspond on the subject of establishing a starch factory in this place, and report at next meeting.

The Board adjourned to meet at same place next Friday evening, at 7 o'clock.

WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

The rapidly increasing business of the Keystone Carriage Manufactory, run by the Wayne Bros., is an indication of the superior quality of the wares turned out by that enterprising establishment. To give an idea of the amount of work done by this factory, we specify a few of the jobs that have left its warerooms within the last week or two.

A platform phaeton, for J. G. Luce & Co., of Springfield,—a novelty in the line of vehicles,—is a piece of workmanship of which any carriage factory in the country might justly be proud. Also, a top buggy, for Mr. Frank Schenck, of Maroa, is one of the finest pieces of work that can be found in the country. Last week a magnificent delivery wagon, for Hargis, Imboden & Co., of Wichita, Kansas, was shipped to that firm. Another carriage, which excites the admiration of all who see it, is a splendid two-seated barouche, for Mr. Wykoff, of Maroa, and also two or three other similar vehicles for persons living in the vicinity of Maroa.

All the above-named pieces of finished work show a thoroughness of construction and a beauty in style and finish that cannot be excelled at any factory in the country. Besides the above, there are a half score of different kinds of vehicles now in process of construction in the shops of this concern, most of which are for persons right here in town, and which will soon appear upon our streets to excite the admiration of all who can appeciate a nice job. Persons contemplating the purchase of pleasure or delivery wagons, should not fail to examine the beautiful samples of work at the "Keystone Manufactory."

Those Splendid Boots, made to order by J. P. Marsh, are winning golden opinions from all who wear them.

House Entered by Robbers.—Some fellows intent on plunder entered the residence of Mr. D. M. Lewis, of Hickory township, on Saturday, during the absence of the family, and ransacked drawers and every other place where they supposed money might be found. A few articles of cheap jewelry were taken, but luckily no money was left in the house. No clothing or other goods except the jewelry was taken.

Petit Larceny.—Yesterday evening, while a young man of this city was in his enamoretta's house, paying her a short visit, having left his horse and buggy hitched outside, some petit thief came along and stole an umbrella out of the buggy and detached the hitching rein.—The thief's thought, undoubtedly, was that the horse would run away and smash up things so as to cover the theft. Luckily nothing of the sort occurred.

Get Ready.—Now is the time while this beautiful weather is with us, to put glass in the broken windows, clean out the cellars, and put them in order to receive the winter supply of vegetables and fruit, put the wood-sheds in order and get in the winter supply of fuel. We shall soon have muddy roads, and cold storms, which will make it uncomfortable getting about, and render work in the line of repairs upon buildings difficult. Our farmers, and town people as well, should attend to all these matters while they can be done with comfort and convenience.—When thus nicely fixed, with their winter supplies all in, they can smile at storms, and feel comparatively indifferent as to whether school keeps or not.

Prohibition Congressional Convention.—Wm. S. Crissey, in behalf of the State Executive Committee of the Prohibition party, has issued a call for a convention of that party to nominate a candidate for Congress. Delegates and friends of the party in the counties of Vermilion, Coles, Douglas, Champaign, Piatt and Macon, are notified to meet at Champaign City, Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for that purpose.

For Several Years numerous experiments have been making for burning our soft coal successfully in a self-feeding magazine stove, that would require the fire to be built but once during the season, and one in which fire could be kept from ten to thirty-six hours, without replenishing. Some of these experiments have proven partially successful, but none a perfect success, excepting the invention of the "OMAHA." We notice this stove is for sale by CLOSE & GRISWOLD.

A New Store.—We learn that a Mr. Donaldson, from Natchez, Miss, is soon to open up a large dry goods house in Ruth's building, No. 12 Merchant street. The first of the goods are now at the depot, and Mr. Donaldson will be on hand to-morrow, when the store will be opened.

DIED.

Near Lewisburg, York county, Penn., Sept. 15, 1874, Miss MARY KROSE, aged 64 years and 15 days.

First-class Cassimere Suits, at Race's.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Rev. W. S. Prentiss boarded the westward bound train this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eldridge left this morning for Fairbury, Ills.

T. O. Smith, Esq., is able to ride about town.

Miss Annie Oglesby left this morn to-day for Louisville, Ky., to take in the exposition and visit friends in that city.

Bruce Donnell, Esq., leaves on the Paris road for a tour around the eastern and southeastern portions of Illinois.

Dr. J. W. Routh and family, Jos. Mills and wife, also John Shellabarger and wife, returned from the Cincinnati Exposition to-day at noon.

H. W. Scibird left this morning for the Indianapolis Exposition. Before he returns he will add somewhat to his present knowledge of the art of photography.

D. Hitchcock, Esq., General Superintendent of the Paris & Decatur R. R., was in town yesterday, looking after the interests of his road.

James Keefe will take his departure for "Ould Ireland" in about a week. He expects to visit Scotland, England, France, and perhaps Jerusalem, before his return.

John K. Warren, Esq., returned from California on Sunday night, after an absence of about a year. He has visited many points and objects of interest during his absence; and his health, as compared with what it was when he went away, is much improved.

Oliver McBride and wife returned from their wedding trip this morning. They took in the Cincinnati Exposition, and made a kind of general visiting tour. They will leave for Danville, their future home, on Monday. The happy couple will take with them the best wishes of hosts of friends.

At the St. Nicholas Hotel the following are registered: Chas. Smovoski and wife, Springfield; A. G. Gregory, Bement; W. E. Wood, St. Louis; W. H. Bently, Covington, Ky.; N. Delaney, Maroa; C. H. Gaines, Terre Haute; James McKee, Philadelphia; J. H. Humphreys, Chicago; G. H. Scott, Galesburg, Ill.; W. G. Gano, Indianapolis; Mrs. Davidson, Terre Haute; R. S. Johnson, Chicago; L. A. Cummings, Ft. Wayne; Allen McConnell, Chicago; Noah Williams and J. C. Pearce, Terre Haute.

Union Temperance Prayer Meeting, at Stapp's Chapel, on Tuesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Daily prayer meeting as usual. By order

COMMITTEE.

Wanted to Trade.—A top buggy, almost new, for a town lot. Apply immediately to DR. W. J. CHENOWETH. Sept. 23-1w.

Residence Sold.—We understand that H. B. Durfee, Esq., has sold his residence on North Main street to Dr. Joseph King. The price paid was $5,000. Dr. King is certainly fortunate in coming into the possession of one of the finest locations and best improved lots in our city. Mr. Durfee has purchased of Dr. King his brick residence and two acres of ground, and also the undivided half of the remainder of the 40 acres. The consideration was $13,000. The fine location of this property and surroundings will certainly afford Mr. Durfee abundant opportunity to display his good taste in fitting up his future home.

...Two car loads of cattle went north over the Illinois Central railroad to-day.

For Rent.—A good house on Mason street, with six rooms. Apply to

J. E. KINNEY.

Get Elwood to take your measure for a nice suit of clothes, at Race's. 9tf

Farms for Sale.—I have 200 acres good prairie, 14 miles east of Maroa, for sale cheap, and on easy terms. Also, several improved farms, of different sizes.

Also, MONEY TO LOAN, in sums of $500 to $5,000, on real estate security.

C. P. EMERY, Maroa, Ill.

10-w4d8

Just Received—New dried blackberries, new cranberries, California honey, and a lot of choice groceries, at

2d JACK & SON'S.

All wool Business Suits from $12 up at Race's. 2-dtf.

Important to Boarders.—Ten or twelve regular boarders can be accommodated with board and good rooms at $4.00 per week, at No. 29 West North street.—Table board will be furnished for $3.00 per week. NEWTON THOMPSON.

May 13-dtf.

You can buy at Wessels a fine pair of Ladies' Gaiters for *$1.50.* Call and examine before you buy at cost.

aug 7 dtf

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. Sept 1-dtm

Latest Style Silk Hats, for *$5,* at Race's 2-dtf

Wessels is closing out his summer stock of boots and shoes at greatly reduced prices. He is not selling at cost, but is selling a better article for less money than the cost shoe stores. Call and see for yourself. This is the only way to find out, and don't pay full price for old shop worn goods that are out of style, when you can buy good fashionable goods at a fair price. [aug4dtf.

A full line of cloths, cassimers and vestings, latest styles, at Race's. 2d-tf.

Powers, Ferriss & Co. manufacture the best Boots and Shoes in Decatur.

Wanted,—A situation by a competent book-keeper, of large experience, willing to work in any capacity. Address W. this office. 27-dtf

The Expositions.—The Toledo, Wabash & Western are selling tickets to Cincinnati and return for $10.40, tickets good until Oct. 3d. Tickets to Louisville and return for $9.55, tickets good until Oct. 17th. On Sept. 7th they will commence sale of tickets to Indianapolis and return for $6.40—tickets good for six days from date of sale. 4-dtf

Call and see the latest styles of Hats at J. R. Race & Co.'s. 2-dtf

Pike, the jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches. *Correct time* guaranteed for all at Marble Hall. 9tf

Try that superb Java Coffee, just received by Samuel & Co., at the Rolling Mill Grocery. 9-dtf

First-class Boots and Shoes made by Powers, Ferriss & Co.

Come and see our Fall Hats at J. R. RACE & CO.'S.

Look out for more panics. C. J. Kern is in New York. New goods coming in every day. Call and see, everybody. 9-dtf

COLORADO EXCURSIONS.

Go West Through St. Louis.

During the summer season, the Missouri Pacific and Kansas Pacific Through Line, via St. Louis and Kansas City, will sell Excursion Tickets from St. Louis to Denver and Return, good ninety days from date of sale, at extremely low rates, thus affording every one an excellent opportunity to visit the famous resorts of Colorado, among the beautiful Parks of the Rocky Mountains.

To all who are seeking new homes in or are about to take a trip to Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico, Nebraska, Oregon or California, we recommend a cheap, safe, quick and direct route by way of St. Louis, over the *Missouri Pacific Through Line.* It is equipped with fine Day Coaches, Buck's Reclining Chair Cars, Pullman's Palace Sleepers, the famous Miller Safety Platform, and the celebrated Westinghouse Air-Brake, and runs its trains from St. Louis to principal points in the West *without change.* The Texas connection of this road is now completed, and passengers are offered a first class all-rail route from St. Louis to Texas, either over the Missouri, Kansas & Texas R. R., *via Sedalia,* or over the Atlantic & Pacific R. R., *via Vinita.*

For full information in regard to Colorado Excursions, or trips to any point in the Great West, address or call upon either of the following named Agents of the Line: J. F. Thompson, 157, Exchange street, Buffalo, N. Y.; S. H. Thompson, Union Depot, Columbus, Ohio; or E. A. Ford, General Passenger Agent, 25 South Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo. *Questions will be cheerfully and promptly answered.*

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THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND COLORADO.

The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado will be greater than ever in 1874. The shortest way to reach the Far West is through St. Louis, the great Mississippi-Valley City, of over 450,000 inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and runs six fast Express trains, two more than any other road, between the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars, besides earnings, in extraordinary improvement of roadway, in relaying its line with best quality of new steel and iron rails, on broad, new ties, and in passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new reclining-chair coaches, with every appliance for comfort and safety, being elegantly carpeted and fitted with dressing rooms, with toilet conveniences for ladies, gentlemen and families traveling with children *free of any extra charge.* Any ticket agent selling through tickets to the West will furnish tickets by this excellent route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West, it being the only line running through cars between St. Louis and Omaha. For map, circulars and time tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Groat, St. Louis, Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired. Jan 8w1f

RETAIL MARKET.

Grapes, per lb	25@03
Plums, per lb	50
Cucumbers, per doz	10
Green corn, "	10
Lemons, "	65
Oranges, "	50
Eggs, "	20
Tomatoes "	10
Butter—packed "	20
" —fresh "	30
Apples, per bushel	1,00@1,25
New potatoes, per peck	1,00
Peaches, per box	50@75
Pears, "	1,50
Onions, per peck	35
Beans, "	30
Beets, per bushel	1,00
Cabbage, per head	5@10
Cider, per gallon	30
Turnips, per peck	20
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	30
Muskmelons, each	5
Watermelons, "	5
Pumpkins, "	10
Quinces, per dozen	35

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, September 29, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ .85
" White "	1.05
FLOUR—white wheat, ⅌ hundred	4.00
" red "	3.50
" superfine, "	3.25
" middlings, "	1.75
CORN MEAL—⅌ bushel	1.00
RYE—⅌ bushel	.60
CORN—⅌ bushel	.70
OATS—⅌ bushel, per bush	.40
HAY—Timothy, ⅌ ton	10.00
FLAXSEED—⅌ bushel	3.35
TIMOTHY SEED—⅌ bushel	3.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.50
BLUE GRASS— "	1.50
ORCHARD GRASS, "	2.50
REDTOP— "	2.50
HUNGARIAN— "	1.50
BEANS—⅌ bushel	2.00
BUTTER—⅌ lb	25
EGGS—per doz	10
LARD—⅌ lb	13@15
BACON—Sides	12@15
HAMS—sugar-cured	14
SHOULDERS—⅌ lb	10
HOGS—Live, per hundred	6,00@6.50
CATTLE— " "	3,25@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	100
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	15
APPLES— " "	10
" —Green ⅌ bu	1,00
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Unwashed, choice	40
HIDES—Green, ⅌ lb	06
" Salted cured, "	8
" Calf, "	10
" Dry salt, "	12
" Dry Flint, "	14
SHEEP PELTS—	40@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ⅌ lb	50@55
" Common, ⅌ lb	50

DRY GOODS.

RIBBONS!

Ribbons! Ribbons!

4000 PIECES!

An Elegant Assortment, and Better than any yet offered.

ONLY 25 CENTS PER YARD!

Also, a Job Lot of Hamburg Edgings, and a GENERAL ASSORTMENT of

NEW GOODS

JUST RECEIVED, AT

LINN & SCRUGGS.

Sept. 1, 1874—dtf.

"OMAHA!"

THE KING Of all Stoves yet Invented FOR SOFT COAL

A Hot Blast, Self-Feeding, Base Burning, Bituminous Coal Stove, FOR PARLORS, STORES, OFFICES, &c.

CALL AND SEE IT AT

CLOSE & GRISWOLD'S

Sept. 29-d&wtf.

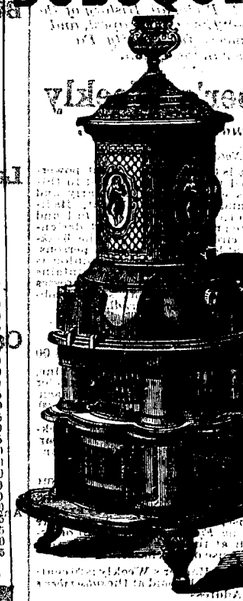
Jas. Sage & Son

OPERA BLOCK,

DECATUR, ILL.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CARLOAD of the celebrated

DUBUQUES,



The best SOFT COAL BASE BURNER in the west. Also, a full line of

Heating and Cooking Stoves

HARDWARE,

Nails and Glass, which will be sold at Bottom Prices. ☞ Please call and examine.

October 2, 1873-dawtf.

ST. JAMES HOTEL!

(Cor. Water & Wood Sts., Decatur, Ill.)

J. B. MILLIGAN, Proprietor.

The house has been re-painted, papered, and thoroughly repaired, and the furniture is all new.

Board by the day or week, on reasonable terms. [Sept. 8-d4m*

FLOWERS WINTERED!

Theodore Steinen

Would inform the public generally that his GREEN AND HOT HOUSE, on South Webster street, has just been completed, and he is now prepared to receive all flowers for the purpose of keeping them over winter.

☞ He invites all flowers given to him for keeping, and will winter them at a very reasonable price. (sep2-d4m.

MOST EXTRAORDINARY

Terms of Advertising are offered for Newspapers in the State of ILLINOIS! Send for list of papers and schedule of rates.—Address GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., Advertising Agents, 41 Park Row, New York.

KEEPER TO EDITOR OF THIS PAPER.

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HENRY ADAMS } vs. ISIBELL ADAMS }

Notice is hereby given, that the said Henry Adams has this day filed his petition against said Isibell Adams, for Divorce, in the Macon County Circuit Court; the said court to be holden on the

"THIRD MONDAY OF NOVEMBER,"

7th day of December, 1874.

Now, unless you, the said Isibell Adams, shall be and appear, at the time aforesaid, at the court house in Decatur, county and state aforesaid, and answer, plead or demur, the said petition will be taken by confession and a decree entered accordingly.

September 22d, 1874.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS, William Rea and Mary Rea, his wife, of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, did, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1869, by their certain deed of trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustees, certain real estate hereinafter described, which deed of trust is recorded in the recorder's office of said Macon county, in book 34, page 18, and was made to secure the payment of three certain promissory notes of said William Rea, bearing even date with said deed of trust, payable to the order of Stacy B. Barcroft, one for five thousand dollars, payable three years after date, one for five thousand dollars, payable four years after date, and one for six thousand dollars, payable five years after date, all bearing interest at ten per cent, per annum, the first payment of interest to be made on the first day of November, A. D. 1869, and semi-annually thereafter, on the first day of May and November of each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the date of the maturity of said notes, respectively;

And whereas, it is provided by said deed of trust that if said William Rea shall fail to pay said notes, or either of them and the interest thereon as said principal and interest shall respectively become due, and on application of the legal holder thereof, the undersigned Trustees may thereupon at once proceed to sell the property therein described entire, without sub-division, or in parcels, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, first giving public notice of the time and place, and terms of said sale, and of the property to be sold, by an advertisement thereof in some public newspaper published in the city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and to make, acknowledge and deliver to the purchaser, or purchasers, of said premises deed, or deeds, of conveyance therefor in fee simple;

And whereas, Default having been made in the payment of all of said promissory notes and of the interest thereon accrued, and Samuel K. Kille, executor of the estate of Stacy B Barcroft, deceased, being the legal holder of said notes, having made application to the undersigned Trustees and requested the advertisement and sale of said premises under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in said deed of trust, public notice is, therefore, hereby given, that on

Thursday, the 8th day of October, A. D. 1874,

at ten (10) o'clock a m, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois, being the west door of the present court house, we, the undersigned Trustees, shall, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon us by said deed of trust, offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The east half of section No, thirty six (36); also, the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section No twenty-five (25), except fifteen (15) acres of the north end thereof, also, the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section No thirty-three (33), except seven and one-half (7½) acres off the south side thereof; all the above described tracts of land being in township No seventeen (17) north, range No. three (3) east of the third principal meridian; and all homestead rights and equity of redemption of said William Rea therein, as by said deed of trust is provided.

Decatur, Illinois, September 7th, 1874

JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWES, Trustees

September 8 1871 dtd.

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A D 1871.

Joseph T Stearns vs James House—Attachment

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, To the said defendant in the above-entitled cause, that the same is now pending in said court, that a writ of attachment was issued therein from said court on the 19th day of September, A. D. 1874, in the suit of the said Joseph T. Stearns, against the estate of the said James House, for the sum of forty-eight and 88-100 dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Decatur in said county, on

Monday, the 7th day of December, A. D. 1874,

which said writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said James House.—And that unless the said James House shall appear, give bail, and plead within the time limited for his appearance in such case, judgment will be entered and the estate so attached sold will be sold.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of September, A D 1874.

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Saturday, the 26th day of September,

A. D. 1874, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, sell at public vendue, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, the following described real estate in Macon county, in the State of Illinois, to-wit: Part of the east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four (34), in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the 3d P. M., containing fifteen acres

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CHRISTIANA CHANCE, Adm'x,
WILLIAM M. CHANCE, Adm'r.

August 29—d4w.

Commissioner's Sale!

JOSEPH STARR vs THOMAS W LAWSON AND MARTHA JANE LAWSON

Public notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the May term, A. D. 1874, of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on Saturday, the

10th day of October, A. D. 1874,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Illinois; at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. twenty-one (21) in township No. sixteen (16) north, range four (4) east of the 3d principal meridian; also the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, excepting five (5) acres off the east side thereof of same section, township and range; also the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, excepting five (5) acres off the east side of said last named piece, in same section, township and range.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Circuit Court of Macon County, December term, A. D. 1874.

John B A Reed vs. Leander McQueary.

IN CHANCERY

Affidavit that the residence of Leander McQueary, defendant above named, cannot, upon diligent enquiry, be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Leander McQueary that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December next (1874), as is by law required

Now, unless you, the said Leander McQueary shall be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county on the first day of a term thereof to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D 1874,

and plead answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill

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Freight	2 25 A M	Mondays "
"	10 40 A M	Sundays "
"	3 15 P M	" "

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Freight	8 50 A M	" "
"	11 20 P M	" "
"	3 25 P M	" "

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GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express	2 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express	12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation	3 10 p. m
" 5 "	11 00 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express	10 45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic	12 00 m
" 12 Accommodation	7 45 p m
" 6 "	3 00 a. m

PEKIN DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 1 Accommodation	6 05 a. m
" 3 Mail	1 30 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Accommodation	9 00 p. m
" 4 Mail	11 15 a. m

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DEPART:

No. 1 Through Express	3 20 a. m
" 3 Fast Express	12 25 p. m
" 9 Accommodation	12 30 a. m
" 35 "	6 00 a. m

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No. 2 Lightning Express	10 40 p. m
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" 10 Accommodation	4 25 a. m
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" Chicago			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign	5 00 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur		12 00 m	3 15 p m
" Tolono		1 20 p m	12 27 a m
Ar Danville		2 50 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	7 20 a m	3 00 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati	9 00 p m	12 10 a m	11 55 a m
" Dayton	9 15 p m	10 00 a m	12 20 p m
" Columbus	11 45 p m	10 25 a m	3 40 p m
" Zanesville	1 55 a m	1 40 p m	
" Wheeling	5 45 a m	5 20 p m	
" Washington	9 15 p m	7 00 a m	9 00 p m
" Baltimore	8 15 p m	8 30 a m	6 30 p m
" Pittsburg	7 05 a m	11 45 a m	12 01 a m
" Harrisburg	3 25 p m	10 40 p m	11 55 a m
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Arrives at Terre Haute	1:26 p. m
" Indianapolis	4:15 "
No 3, Accommodation—	
Leaves Decatur	3:45 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute	12:40 a. m
" Indianapolis	3:35 "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2, Accommodation—	
Leaves Terre Haute	6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur	3:00 p. m
No. 4, Mail and Express Train—	
Leaves Indianapolis	2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute	5:20 "
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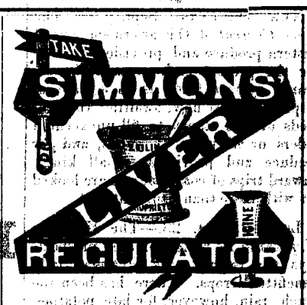

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Notice of Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debt.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the County Court to the October Term, A. D. 1874.

Andrew M. McKinney, Executor of the Estate of Stephen N. Blythe, deceased, vs. Mary D. Blythe and Joseph A. Blythe.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the county court, in and for said Macon county, by said Andrew M. McKinney, executor of Stephen N. Blythe, deceased, against Mary D. Blythe and Joseph A. Blythe, defendants, praying for the sale of the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township sixteen (16) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, to pay debts. And that a summons has been issued in said cause, returnable on the first day of the October term of said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon, on Monday, the 19th day of October, A. D. 1874; and unless the said defendants shall then and there appear and plead to and answer said petition, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree for sale of said premises as prayed will be entered.

H. W. WAGGONER,
Clerk Macon County Court.
September 7, 1874.
NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for petitioner. [sept5-d4w.

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" East	4 p. m.
" North, South, Paris, & East of Lafayette	6:00 a. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

For Paris, East, and St. Louis	8:00 a. m.
" West	11:30 "
" Pekin, and I. & I. C.	12:00 m.
" Chicago, and I. B. & W.	2:00 p. m.
" South	2:30 "
" North & East of Lafayette	7:30 "

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We have been friends together,
When life was bright and gay,
When many luring, alluring hopes
Lingered along our way.
We have been friends together,
When anguish wrung the heart,
And shall one light word now
Cause our twain souls to part?

We have been friends together,
In sunshine and in shade,
And many, many times we've vowed
Our love would never fade.
We have wept tears together
When sorrow filled the heart,
And shall one light word now
Cause our twain souls to part?

We have been friends together
In sorrow's darkest night,
And when sweet joy and pleasure
Illumed our path with light.
We have been friends together,
Along life's dreary way,
And shall one light word now
Divide our love for aye?

THE EVILS OF INDULGENCE.

Nothing exhibits more clearly the necessity of resisting the beginning of evil than a contemplation of the ruin and misery men bring upon themselves. It is vainly imagined in youth that time and opportunities once lost may afterwards be recovered at will, and that, after having indulged in a course of folly, a man may turn to virtue and well doing when he pleases.—This fallacy leads many imperceptibly from step to step in the downward and treacherous steep of vice, till reason and conscience are alike unheeded, and there is ultimately no attempt, because there is no inclination to return. We do not mean to say that there are not many with strength of mind and purposes who resolutely abandon all evil courses, and live exemplary lives, but they are so rare as to offer no inducement to follow their examples, and only served to show as how desperate is the risk they run. Giving away to sinful courses has been aptly compared to being carried forward by a current swiftly, easily, pleasantly—it is not till we try to make head-way against it that we find how hard is the task. Habitual indulgence binds its votary with a chain, the firmness of whose grasp he begins to realize only when he attempts to break it. There is just this difference in the abandonment of evil habits, that the longer the effort is delayed the more difficult the task becomes. It is thus made evident that the best security for a virtuous life is to begin betimes. The inclination being directed aright, early habit makes the performance of duty easy and pleasant. The most casual observation of the wrecks around us convinces us that indulgence in forbidden pleasure does not yield the gratification which it promised. There is always more or less a feeling of degradation and of self-inflicted ostracism, which all his boisterous mirth and the boldness inspired by the presence and applause of kindred associates, fail entirely to dissipate. How often is he arrested by the thought of an anxious father, a weeping mother, or distressed wife? Their tears and prayers seem to haunt him. The black sheep in the family, although his name is not often heard, is more an object of anxiety than are steady, stay-at-home, well-to-do boys and girls, who nestle under the parental roof tree.

The vegetable that young ladies love is to mate-oh.

It makes a great difference whether glasses are used over or under the nose.

What is the difference between the outer wall of a bridge and two nice young ladies? The one is a parapet, and the others are a pair of pets.

A young lady being asked by a rich bachelor, "If not yourself, who, would you rather be?" replied, sweetly and modestly, "Yours, truly."

"Pat, buy a trunk to put your clothes in," said his Yankee companion. "What, an go naked this cold weather?" asked the honest spelpeen.

Pride takes an early start in San Francisco. When a lad breaks loose from his mother's apron-strings and secures a position at three dollars per week, the first thing he does after that is to hire a Chinaman to run errands for him.

"Dear me, how fluidly he talks," said Mrs. Partington, recently at a temperance meeting. "I am always rejoiced when he mounts the nostrals, for his eloquence charms every cartridge in my body."

The following notice is creating some little amusement in New Bedford, Mass.:

"All persons having unlicensed dogs are requested to call on the city clerk and obtain one."

"Kate, I understand you have accepted a situation as governess. Rather than that, I would marry a widower with six children."

"Yes, dear Sophie, and so would I; but where's the widower?"

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

We, the delegated representatives of the Republican party of Illinois, declare the following to be substantially our political belief:

1. That emancipation and enfranchisement have been secured by the Thirteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and by appropriate legislation for their enforcement; and equality of civil rights having been guaranteed by the Fourteenth Amendment, such guaranty should be enforced by appropriate statutes, so that the broad aegis of Federal power may be over the black and white citizens alike.

2. That as a portion of the expenses of the late civil war, about $382,000,000 of non-interest bearing Treasury notes were issued to, and are now held by, the people as a safe and convenient currency, it would be unwise and unjustifiable in the present financial condition of the people, to allow the immediate cancellation of any portion of such Treasury notes; that the establishment of national banks having secured to the States and Territories the best system of bank circulation ever before afforded the people, it should be no longer confined to a privileged class, but should be free to all alike, under general and equal laws, the aggregate volume of currency to be regulated by the untrammeled laws of trade.

3. That we re-affirm the declaration of the National Republican Convention of 1872, in favor of a return to specie payment at the earliest practicable day.

4. That we commend the measures which have passed the popular branch of Congress, looking to the cheapening and perfection of Inter-State railway transportation, and the improvement of navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river.

5. That we are in favor of an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of the President and Vice President by the direct vote of the people, without the intervention of the Electoral College.

6. That the Republican party proposes to respect the rights reserved by the people to themselves, as carefully as the powers delegated by them to the State and Federal Governments; and it will aim to secure the rights and privileges of the citizen without regard to nativity of creed; and it is opposed to interference by law with the habits, tastes or customs of individuals, except to suppress licentiousness or to preserve the peace and safety of the citizens of the State.

8. That while we accord to the railway companies of this State the fullest measure of property rights, we also demand for the people reasonable charges and rigid impartiality in the transportation of passengers and freight—such guaranty to be secured by appropriate State and National legislation.

Relying upon the foregoing declaration of principles and policy, and upon the broad, clear record of the Republican party during its fifteen years of State and Federal administration, we appeal once more to that silent yet conclusive tribunal, the ballot-box, confident that the people will endorse overwhelmingly the action of this representative Convention.

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SEWING MACHINE!
IT
Has no superior as a first-class Lock-Stitch Sewing Machine, and is sold for less than half the money.
WE WILL PAY
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For a Machine that can excel Ours. Agents wanted everywhere. Address,
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Full Set Best Gum Teeth for only $8. Why pay $20 or $30 elsewhere for same. Money refunded in every instance where perfect satisfaction is not given. Teeth extracted without pain. First class Filling, by our most skillful operators, at half the usual rates. Randolph, cor. Clark St.
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HAIR LUXURIANT
Positively creates new Hair on bald heads. The most Perfect Hair Dressing in use. Don't fail to buy a bottle when visiting the Great Exposition.
BELL MANN & CO., Prop's,
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GREAT DRY GOODS!
FIRE SALE.
will be continued until every article saved from the late fire is sold, this offers an unusual opportunity to parties visiting Chicago to make their purchases at about 50 cents on the dollar.
63 & 65 WASHINGTON ST.,
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CHILDREN'S KILT SUITS,
BOYS' SUITS,
MEN'S SUITS,
TO SUIT EVERY ONE,
AT THE
BOSTON SQUARE
DEALING CLOTHING
House, S. E. Cor. of Clark and Madison Sts., Chicago.
Any article bought of this House can be returned, if not suited, and the money will be refunded. [sept9-d1w.

FOR SALE!
AT TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, on the corner of West Main and Pine streets. Will be sold very low. For information inquire, at Dr. Shirley's office, of
GILBERT FERRY.
Sept. 11-dawtf.

Rufus C. Crocker
NO. 9 WATER ST.,
Has on sale the celebrated
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COOK STOVE.
Best in the World.

And other styles Heating Stoves
ALSO, A FULL LINE OF
HARDWARE
OF ALL KINDS,
As Cheap as the Cheapest
11.—dawtf

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Property for Sale
THE UNDERSIGNED has a desirable story and a half residence to sell, cheap for cash, or will trade for property in Decatur. The house contains 10 rooms; good cellar, well and cistern, and a first-rate barn, 25x36, on the premises; shrubbery and fruit trees. He will also sell his
Business House and Stock of Goods,
Consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Hats and Caps Notions, etc. Will trade business house for property in Decatur, and sell goods cheap for cash or trade them for goods in Decatur.
For further particulars address the undersigned.
T. C. DRINKALL,
Sep21-d3m] MACON, ILLINOIS.

Commissioner's Sale
—OF A—
VALUABLE FARM!
Near Harrisburg, Macon Co., Ill.
RICHARD M. HAMILTON, et al., vs. JOHN W. HAMILTON, et al.
Public notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the August term, A. D. 1874, of the circuit court within and for the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on
Saturday, the 31st day of October,
A. D. 1874, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:
The southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28), in township seventeen (17) north, range one (1) east of third principal meridian; also, the south half of the northeast quarter of said section, township and range, containing 120 acres.
TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of purchase money cash in hand; balance in two equal payments, due, respectively, in one and two years from day of said sale, to be secured by notes bearing six per cent. interest per annum. And mortgage on said lands. Said lands will be offered in 80 acre tracts, or all together, to suit purchasers. Sale to commence at 1½ o'clock p. m.
Decatur, Ill., September 10, 1874.
REUBEN E. MERWEATHER, Special Commissioner, &c.
September 21-d6.

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Opens its twelfth year Sept. 11, and its elegant buildings, ample accommodations, retired location, thorough courses of study, unusual advantages in French, Art and Music rendered this institution the most desirable place of instruction for young Ladies in the country. No pains have been spared to select the most experienced teachers. Fine accommodations in a true home for boarders. Address,
MISS GREGG, Principal,
15 & 17 S. Sheldon St., Chicago.
September 2, 1874-d4w.

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FURNITURE DEALERS,
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Goods packed and shipped without extra charge.

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Bus to and from all trains.

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Dr. A. S. Waltz,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Barber & Co's photo gallery, East Main street.
June 18, 1873—dsmos

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1873-dwtf.

ODOR & EDDRIDGE,
ATTORNEYS at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store.

EDWIN PARE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.

C. C. McCONLEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY.
Attorney for Macon county. Office: Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill.

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Dr. Stone's drug store, south side New Square.

W. C. JOHNS,
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HAVING permanently located in Decatur, will attend promptly to all
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IN CITY OR COUNTRY,
DAY OR NIGHT.
RESIDENCE: No. 21, West William St. Office—Southeast corner Old Square, over W. C. Armstrong's drug store.
May 22, 1874-dawtf.

DR. T. PEASE,
OFFICE—Over the Post Office. Residence, No. 8, Franklin street.
May 14, 1874-dawly.

J. A. DILLON. E. T. DAVIDSON.
Dillon & Davidson
ATTORNEYS AT LAW. Tecumseh, Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [feb20-wly.

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BUNN & BROWN,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS at Law, Decatur, Ill. Office over W. J. Brown's drug store, No. 82, southeast corner of Main and Water Sts.
June 9, 1874-dawly.

DR. N. C. HAWKINS,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Hammer & Co's Bank. [jl1-8w.t

DR. P. B. SPARKS,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.
OFFICE:—Over the new Post Office. Residence—No. 2 West Wood street.
April 2, 1874—6m.

TELEGRAPHING!
179 YOUNG LADIES AND GENTLEMEN wanted immediately to learn Telegraphing. Students furnished with positions on a regular commercial line as soon as competent.
ADDRESS,
Western Telegraph Co.,
April 29, 1874-dawly. DECATUR, ILLS

LEFORGEE & CO.,
REAL ESTATE
AND
LOAN AGENTS!
OFFER FOR SALE some of the choicest property in Macon county. Call and examine our list.
☞ Agents for Milwaukee Life Insurance Company.
OFFICE: No. 8 Water street, second floor.
April 7, 1874. DECATUR, ILLS.

A NEW FIRM
H. MUELLER & CO.,
(Successors to H. MUELLER,)
PLUMBERS,
STEAM & GAS FITTERS,
And Dealers in
Iron and Lead Pipe, Steam and Gas Fittings and Fixtures, Rubber Hose, Pumps, &c., &c.

Also keep constantly on hand a completed stock of
Guns, Pistols, Powder, Shot, Lead, Caps, Wads, Fishing Tackle, &c.,
Which will be sold as cheap as the same can be bought in Central Illinois. All kinds of
MACHINE WORK AND GUN-SMITHING
Done in a neat and workmanlike manner.
H. MUELLER & CO.
April 28, 1874-dly.

The Daily Republican.

HAMMOND & MOSHER, Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 29.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S. RIDGWAY,
of Kane.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
of Macoupin.

For Congress, 14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Douglas.

For Sheriff,
ISAAC D. JENNINGS.

IN view of the fact that the authorities of Chicago have not yet complied with the demands made by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the Executive Committee of that institution recommend that all companies belonging to the Board discontinue the business of fire insurance in that city on and after the 1st of October.

SINGLETON and Richardson are making it hot for the "Opposition" in Adams county. The Greenback Democracy propose to hold a grand barbacue on the fair grounds, at Quincy, on the 1st of October, and every arrangement is being made for a vigorous campaign. Of course, Republicans enjoy the situation hugely.

THE New Orleans *Bulletin* proposes that the people of every parish in Louisiana shall drive out the officers duly elected and usurp their places. It thinks that this course would require a larger Federal force to restore them than the government can raise. If a few of the infernal scoundrels who, in giving such advice as the above to the southern people were hung at the start, it might make much less use for Federal troops hereafter.

The Springfield *Journal*, after taking a survey of the political field, in the State, and noticing the qualifications of the respective candidates on the ticket, says: "The obligation resting upon the Republican party of Illinois to achieve a victory at the coming election was never greater than now. Our loyal friends in the South are looking with eager interest to the verdict Illinois shall give on the barbarous and inhuman outrages that have been perpetrated in that section upon defenceless victims of Ku-Klux vengeance for the sole crime of Republicanism. A Republican victory here and in other Northern States will be construed by both parties, into condemnation of those atrocious wrongs, and will be the surest pledge of future peace and security for all classes, while an opposite verdict will offer encouragement to the enemies of peace and order, and re-establish in the South horrors surpassing those of the war period. Vigilance, energy and sagacious effort from now until the polls are closed on the 3d of November, should be the watchword in every district, county and precinct in the State. Let this be done—taking nothing for granted, but omitting no effort or labor necessary to secure a full Republican vote—and victory will perch on the Republican banners as surely as the sun shall set on the evening of the 3d of November.

THE Atlanta (Ga.) *News*, the organ of the Ku Klux League in that portion of the south, advised the people of Louisiana to "see to it that the funerals of the whole Kellogg gang take place before the New Year dawns." A Republican paper, published in the same city, expressed the hope that such infamous sentiments found no general response in the south, and declared the writer of them to be "a harmless but pronounced lunatic," whereupon the gentle *News* indignantly responds:

"Perhaps four-fifths of the white citizens of Atlanta are lunatics, but we do not believe it. However, we assert here that four-fifths of the white people of Georgia echo the advice given by us to the people of Louisiana to see to it that the funeral services of the whole Kellogg gang takes place before the New Year dawns. At least one hundred gentlemen of this city endorsed that 'infamous' sentiment in person to the editor of this paper. He may be a lunatic, but there is a vast amount of method in his lunacy."

Now the North desires peace, and what is more, it will have it. "Reconciliation and the equal rights of all" it will adopt as its motto, and act upon it, but it will insist on a return. Men must cease to be murdered for their politics and their color, and the idea of the nationality, the all-pervading power and privileges of citizenship, must be respected.—*Philadelphia Press.*

THE BLACK HILLS.

The Chicago *Journal* thus concisely—and, as we believe, about correctly—sums up the recent information in regard to the much-trumpeted Black Hills:

The facts in regard to the Black Hills region, gleaned here and there, from officer, soldier and civilian of the late expedition, are coming to light, about as follows: First, there appears to be found, collected and brought away from the Black Hills by the entire expedition, about $32 worth of gold. Second, it is pretty conclusively understood by some that the ore from which the said gold was obtained was *imported*; that is, the hills were "salted!" Third, the area of land valuable for cultivation is so very small that it is lost in the great length of only moderately good soil. Fourth, the Quaker land is composed of spruce, yellow-pine and cotton wood of stunted growth, such as is usually found in the stretch of land between the Missouri river and the Rocky Mountains. Fifth, that the Black Hills region is not particularly rich, either in soil, timber or mineral wealth, and is in every respect just such a neighbor as one might expect to find of that mysterious country lying to the north of it, known by the natives as "The Bad Lands." Why not, then, let Red Cloud and Spotted Tail and their followers enjoy their possession of that region undisturbed.

MR. BEECHER HOME AGAIN.

From the N. Y. Sun, of Friday.

Mr. Beecher arrived in New York at 5:30 p. m., yesterday, and went at once to his home. He came on the lightning express train from Nashua, via Worcester, Springfield, Hartford and New Haven. Wherever the train stopped the station was thronged by the multitude, and the great preacher warmly greeted by his friends. He was much fatigued after his speech-making at Plymouth and amateur engine running from Lake Village to Nashua, Wednesday night. But as soon as he stepped on the cars yesterday morning his bright eye and elastic tread proclaimed that he was himself again. His sister, Mrs. Perkins, accompanied him as far as Hartford. The rest of the way he rode alone. Many came up and grasped him by the hand, but he invited no one to take the seat by his side that had been vacated by his sister on their arrival at Hartford.

WANT OF CREDIT ABROAD.

From the New York Herald.

When people wonder why our credit is dead in foreign lands, let them remember that three hundred and fifty millions of railway bonds are in default. In other words, we have borrowed this vast sum of money to improve the country and we do not pay the interest. This is a shameful act—one of the dark omens of the policy of repudiation which threatens our future. We should so amend our laws that a fact like this would be impossible. What better question could be discussed in a national convention.

THERE is a dry town in Pennsylvania. Citizens of Conshohocken want to know what has become of their water supply. Some millions of gallons have disappeared in a night, and there have been no disasters to account for the change in the supply.—About two years ago, enterprising citizens of the town found the water supply inadequate, and constructed works to furnish the city. A reservoir was built upon a hill, and water pumped into it from the Schuylkill River. The reservoir was substantially built, and no accident was looked for. A day or two ago the keeper of the toll-gate, which is near the reservoir, noticed that a part of the fence around the reservoir had disappeared in the night. On inspecting the premises he made the further discovery that a part of the embankment had sunk bodily out of sight, leaving a hole about 30 feet in circumference, and that the greater portion of the water in the reservoir had accompanied it. Soundings failed to give any measurement of the depth of this orifice, and now the good people are puzzled what to do for a water supply. It is rumored that, as the Town of Conshohocken is found to be so near the Bottomless Pit, the inhabitants are undecided whether to change its name to Brooklyn or Kansas City.

THE New York *Herald*, in a long editorial on the "Civil War in Louisiana," says:

"The late Chief Justice Taney, in the Dorr rebellion case, decided that when a conflict arose between rival State Governments the President should decide which Governor was lawful by power and sustain that power by the Federal authority. * * * The die has been cast. The President's proclamation commits the government to the suppression of the revolution. * * * We must sustain the President. It is his duty to preserve the Union. The Union cannot be preserved without law, and there can be no law with revolution. In this he speaks the voice of the American nation, which will respond to him as it responded to Lincoln when Fort Sumter fell. * * * We cannot tolerate an appeal from the ballot to the barricade. The most righteous government in the world would be sinful if it rested upon a revolution like this of Penn. Such performances may do in France and Spain, or the Republic of Central and South America. We cannot permit them in the United States."

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

Alleged Kidnapping and Gubernatorial Correspondence Relative Thereto.

$1,350,000 Legal Tenders Exchanged for National Bank Notes.

Senator West Deals in Sarcasm and Sense.

$20,000 REWARD FOR CHARLEY ROSS STILL IN FORCE.

Letter of Acceptance of Bishop Seymour.

A Big Haul of Counterfeiters by Treasury Detectives.

Austria Sends Arctic Expedition Next Year.

Review of European Crop Prospects.

Senator Schurz Addresses a Meeting at Macon, Mo.

GEN. EMORY AND MARSHAL PACKARD'S CONDUCT REVIEWED.

[Special Dispatch to the Republican]

MAROA, ILL., Sept. 29.

K. H. Roby nominated for Senator on first ballot.

E. B. Harrold and Dr. J. H. Tyler, both of DeWitt county, nominated for Representatives.

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SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 28.—The following communication was received by the Governor relative to the kidnapping of a citizen of this State:

METROPOLIS, ILL., Sept. 25, 1874.

Gov. J. L. Beveridge, Springfield:

DAR SIR: On Monday evening last two men, one by the name of Rufus Ward, and the other Anderson, crossed over the Ohio river into our county, and kidnapped a good citizen. Ward and Anderson claimed that Smith had killed a man in Henry county, Tennessee, eleven years ago, and was tried by a military court and cleared, and a short time since was indicted by the grand jury of Henry county, Tennessee, and that they had a requisition from the Governor of Tennessee on the Governor of Kentucky for Smith's arrest, but not finding him in Kentucky, crossed into this county, where Smith has lived for several years, and kidnapped and carried him away. Mr. Smith has the name of being a good, quiet citizen of this county by rebels of Tennessee, and would respectfully ask that you use your authority in this case that justice may be done.

Yours, &c., J. C. WALLIS.

The following is the communication addressed to the Governor of Tennessee by Gov. Beveridge:

SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 28, 1874.

To His Excellency, Hon. Jno. C. Brown, Governor of Tennessee:

SIR—It is represented to me by responsible citizens of Massac county, Ill, that on the night of the 21st inst., one Rufus Ward and one Anderson crossed the Ohio river and forcibly seized and carried away out of the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, without authority of law, one George W. Smith, a citizen of Massac county. It is said Smith killed a man during the war, some twelve or fourteen years ago, in Henry county, Tenn., and was tried by court martial and acquitted. Ward and Anderson claimed to be from Henry county, Tennessee; that an indictment for murder on said charge was pending in said Henry county against said Smith; that they had a requisition for said Smith from your Excellency upon the Governor of Kentucky, and that they intended to take him [Smith] to Henry county, Tenn., for trial on said indictment. Without considering the guilt or innocence of said Smith, it is apparent that he has been taken from the jurisdiction of this State without due process of law. I therefore respectfully demand of your Excellency, if found within the jurisdiction of the State of Tennessee, his safe and speedy return to the State of Illinois; and it is further apparent that said Ward and Anderson have violated the laws of this State, and are guilty of a great crime; therefore, I ask that they may be arrested and held in custody, to await a requisition from this State. Very respectfully yours,

JOHN L. BEVERIDGE, Gov.

A WASHINGTON letter says that Mr. and Mrs. Sartoris are not expected back until January, when the President and Mrs. Grant hope to see them and keep them six months. It is said the rooms set apart for them at the White House are very elegant. The White House is undergoing its annual repairs.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Senator West, of Louisiana, has made public a letter dated September 27, and addressed to Collector Casey, New Orleans, on the political affairs of the State, Governor Kellogg's abandonment of the executive office on the occasion of the Penn revolution, and the Governor's imputation of intentional bomb-proof absenteeism. West says that many are of the opinion that Gov. Kellogg would have displayed greater heroism and confidence in his own right to the chief magistracy, had he dismissed his, of necessity, inefficient defenders, and bravely stood alone in the maintenance of his executive rights, yielding them only to personal ejection. If Governor Kellogg regrets my absence he knows that I visited the North at his written request, to lay before the President the condition of affairs in Louisiana, and to solicit federal support for his government when its integrity should be imperiled. If he wants his political friends who are absent to assume fighting garb, they may prefer some other leader. Generally, the Kellogg administration, since it came into power, has been exercised in the true interests of the State. It is environed with difficulties sufficient to dismay the stoutest heart, and it has of late received such a shock as to make its most determined supporters doubt whether it is competent to exact obedience to its authority, even with the assistance of the parent government. In regard to the recent conference, the Senator says: Propositions looking to the avoidance of fraud in the elections, though eminently just, and should by all means be adopted, should be preceded by a promise and guaranty on the part of the Democrats to prevent murder, protect life, and assure and admit a free expression of opinion.

MACON, Mo., Sept. 28.—Senator Schurz addressed a mass meeting here to-day and in the course of his speech took occasion to reply to the recent correspondence between Marshal Pack and and General Emory, in which Packard, referring to the remarks of Schurz in a former speech, in which he intimated that the United States troops in Louisiana were to be used in controlling the election, asks Gen. Emory if he (Packard) has ever applied the troops to such purposes and Gen. Emory answers in the negative, declaring that such attempts would be resented by the officers and men.

The Senator commended Gen. Emory for repelling the idea that United States troops could be used for political purposes, and doubts not that he describes the true feelings of the soldiers when he says the soldiers themselves would resent indignantly such an attempt. However party managers do say how these soldiers can be used for such purposes, and recalls Kellogg's inauguration of the Kellogg government in 1872, which, though having no shadow of honest selection, was protected by the U. S. troops.

The soldiers may have been indignant then, but they had to obey orders however lamentable, which such men in Louisiana know how to obtain. However this may be, it is of the highest importance not only to have an honest election, but for the people to see it is such, and to this end no man can have the least influence over the employment of United States troops in the coming election who was an accomplice of the usurpation in 1872.

The Senator then refers to the proposition made by the McKinery government for selecting a Returning Board, namely, that it should be composed of two members from each party, and the fifth selected jointly by the other four as umpire, and declares this was the only proper method where such corruption is carried on as in the Louisiana elections. He declares the United States government owes it to itself and to the honest people of the country to remove such a man from the place he uses to dishonor his government and to create false prejudice against it among people who wish to be loyal to it, and who is to-day the only obstacle in the way of a peaceful compromise between contending factions in Louisiana.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The City Council to-night ordered to engrossment the ordinance appropriating $264,000 for the purchase of additional fire engines and apparatus for the fire department. An ordinance was also introduced authorizing the Comptroller to negotiate a loan of $500,000, which amount is to be expended in laying additional water mains in the business part of the city. This was referred to the Finance Committee, who, it is said, will report it favorably, and its passage is deemed certain.

Hon. James G. Blaine, Speaker of U. S. House of Representatives, is in the city.

Bishop Seymour has written a letter containing his acceptance of the position of Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Illinois.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The National Bank Redemption Agency has called upon the National Banks, within the last six days, for about one million three hundred and fifty thousand dollars in legal tender notes, to reimburse it for their notes redeemed. Other calls will follow at the rate of about seven hundred and fifty thousand per day, until sufficient legal tenders have been received to justify resumption of redemption. The date of resumption will depend somewhat upon the promptness with which the banks respond to the call.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—The reward of $20,000 in the Ross case is still in force, and Allen Pinkerton announces that the same will be relinquished by him and his force to parties who shall give information which shall lead to the recovery of the child and the capture of its abductors.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 28.—The United States secret detective of the Treasury Department this morning overhauled, at the Adams Express office, a box containing a large amount of counterfeit money and counterfeiters tools. It belonged to an extensive gang that had been operating in North Carolina, East Tennessee, West Virginia and Kentucky. Six of them have been captured.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 28.—The *Price Current* of this afternoon says of western produce and provisions: Under [illegible] sales to fill unexecuted orders or [illegible] of goods, and for produce and provisions of all kinds. Inward trips of coast packets are looked for with more than usual interest.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The Mark Lane *Express* [illegible] crop prospects says the [illegible] have materially benefitted crops. There has been too much rain, however, for late potatoes, which have shown a commencement of disease. The grass possesses the verdure of spring, which will enable growers to carry their stock through the winter, notwithstanding the deficiency in the hay and straw crops. The wheat trade shows neither encouraging nor discouraging features. Prices in France are lower, but elsewhere on the continent they are unchanged, except at Odessa, where the market is firmer, in the hope that the fine quality of the crop will eventually secure better prices.

VIENNA, Sept. 28.—The Austrian Government will dispatch an expedition to the Arctic regions next year, to ascertain whether the land discovered by the expedition just returned and named Franz Joseph's land, is a portion of a continent or an island. The expedition will be divided, half going by way of Siberia and the other by way of Greenland.

THE Tazewell county *Republican* says:

"We have cheering news from Logan county. The Republican party stands a unit. The late outbreak in Louisiana has turned the faces of the loyal masses against any compromise or political fellowship with the party, or men of the North who sympathized with the South in the late rebellion, and we are informed that they will go to the ballot-box on the 3d of November and boldly re-assert their devotion to the cause of the Union and their adherence to the principles of the Republican party, by supporting its nominees for State, district and county offices."

On the 17th inst. at Wellsboro, Pa., five masked men effected an entrance to the residence of President Robinson, of the First National Bank, and gagged and bound the occupants, President Robinson, Cashier Robinson, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Smith, a daughter of Robinson. Then compelled the Cashier to accompany them to the bank and throw open the vault, when they helped themselves to about $50,000, principally in currency. Returning with Mr. Robinson to his home they placed the members of the family face to face and told them to converse freely. They took from the fingers of Mrs. Smith a ring valued at $800 kissed Mrs. Robinson who fainted and then took their departure.

THE New York *Herald* says: "Mr. Tilden cannot poll the full vote of his own party, much less can he draw off any votes from the Republicans. In the western part of the State, Democratic votes for Governor will be traded off against votes for members of the Assembly. The Democracy, despairing of the Governor, will try to secure the senatorial election in the legislature, and they will feel that they sacrifice nothing by exchanging votes for the Assembly which may assure the chance of a Democratic Senator. Mr. Tilden will be one of the worst beaten candidates that ever ran for the Governorship of this State."

IN compliance with the request of Gov. Osborn, the State of Kansas is to be supplied with arms for the protection of the frontier.

ACCORDING to a census just completed, the present population of Minnesota is 522,000, and the value of taxable property $217,000,000.

New Advertisements.

NEW STYLES BIRD CAGES

Table Glassware,

Lamps & Chandeliers,

BELOW MARKET PRICE.

WHITE GRANITE QUEENSWARE!

A Large Assortment,

AT LIDDLE'S.

Covered Jelly Glasses!

FRUIT CANS

Just Received.

AT LIDDLE'S.

HEAVY TIN-WARE,

HEATING & COOK STOVES.

STOVE ZINC BOARDS

Stoves put up at an hours' notice,

AT LIDDLE'S.

Sept. 19 dtf.

Hays & Brussels

Are offering their entire stock of

Parasols, Lace Sacques, Talmas and Points, Lawns, Percales, Grenadines, English Barege, Mozambiques and other Summer Dress Goods

AT COST

To Make Room for Our

LARGE STOCK

OF

FALL GOODS!

WHICH WE ARE ALREADY RECEIVING.

September 3, 1874-dawtf.

DRY GOODS.

S. EINSTEIN'S

New Stock of Fall and Winter Goods has arrived, and is opened and ready for the inspection of the Public.

His Stock consists of a complete line of Dress Goods, Silks, Flannels, Jeans, Cassimeres, Domestics, Shawls, Blankets and Bed Quilts. Also a full line of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

We have also added a full line of GERMANTOWN YARNS.

We are also Agents for the celebrated New Brand EXPOSITION ALPACA, to which we especially invite the Attention of the Ladies. Don't forget the place.

No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.

Decatur, September 15, 1874-d1f

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES,

PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

OLD STAND OF DANIEL GARMAN

Corner Water and Cerro Gordo Sts.

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order, PONY PHAETONS, PRINCE ALBERTS, PIANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of

Sleighs Made to Order!

FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY.

November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

The Second Annual Exhibition of the

Inter-State Industrial Exposition,

OF CHICAGO,

Will Open Sept. 9th, and Close Oct. 10th, 1874.

Attractive novelties in every department. The largest and best display of works of Art ever opened to the public in America. Grand Conservatory with Fountains.

1,000 Feet of Machinery in Operation.

Largely increased Dining Rooms, Lunch Rooms and Restaurant, ample for any number of visitors. The Bill of Fare and Prices Regulated by the Managers. There will be no other exhibition in this country during 1874 where the visitor can find so much that is entertaining and instructive at a cost so trifling. Let all come with the certainty of not being in the least disappointed. All railroads give excursion tickets at reduced rates during the time of the Exposition. [septl1-d

New Advertisements.

TO CONTRACTORS

—AND—

BUILDERS!

SEALED PROPOSALS for doing all the work and furnishing all the materials necessary to enclose the entire building for the Decatur Baptist Church. Also, sealed proposals for furnishing all the materials and doing all the work necessary to enclose and complete the Chapel of said building, will be received by the Trustees at the office of D. P. Elwood, until 12 o'clock noon, Oct. 15, 1874. The work to be done according to plans and specifications, which may be examined at the office of Elwood & Co.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

For further information apply to

THE TRUSTEES.

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 22, 1874-d&w1d

MASTER'S SALE.

SAMUEL LOWE vs. HARRIS T. WILLIAMS, et al.

Public notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the August term, A. D. 1874, of the circuit court within and for the county of Macon and state of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on the

26th day of October, A. D. 1874,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sun set of said day, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to wit:

Lot No. four (4), in block No. fifteen (15), in the recorded plat of the town of Maroa.

Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

Decatur, Ill., September 25th, 1874

R. H. MERIWEATHER,

Master in Chancery, for Macon Co., Ill.

September 25, 1874-d4w.

$350 A MONTH. Agents wanted. Ten best selling articles in the world. Circulars free. Address J. BRONSON, Detroit, Mich. [junl8-w1t.

The Daily Republican.

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 29.

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TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

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We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...A heavy w[illegible]

...Fresh Oysters every day at Moses'.

...Jim [illegible] press wagons.

...Im[illegible] going on with a vengeance.

..."Runners" are as thick in town as bees in a white clover patch.

...Neide[illegible] of family washing soap.

...Our [illegible] are now ready to dispense their fall goods to their customers.

...The [illegible] eastward than westward this fall.

...Kitchen's [illegible] and coffee are superb, and his sugar [illegible]

...Pa[illegible] all the [illegible]

...Rabbits and quail are unusually abundant on the [illegible]

...Jack & Son have a very superior article of Java coffee.

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...The [illegible] lively [illegible] just now.

...G[illegible] cured ha[illegible] and pic[illegible]

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...Prest. S[illegible] just received a fresh supply of [illegible] syrup.

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...A new house is being erected near the corner of College and William streets.

...The sidewalk contractors are doing a lively business just now.

...Go to J. Ullrich & Co. for sugar-cured hams and picnic pork.

...Hay, wood and grain are coming in from the country quite freely at present.

...Pratt & Son have just received a fresh supply of those superb syrups.

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THE GYPSY TROUBLE NOT YET ENDED.

That ruffian Jones, who made a cowardly assault on the old Gypsy Brewer, and his wife, Friday last, is in a bad way to-day. This morning he went up to 'Squire Hughes in his office, and commenced using profane language and heaping all sorts of abuse upon the Justice. He claimed that his witnesses proved conclusively that he was justified in battering up the head of the old Gypsy, and said that if justice had been done him he would [illegible]

The 'Squire remonstrated, but the half-intoxicated ruffian continued his volley of abusive words until his vocabulary was exhausted, when he remained quiet a moment to hear the 'Squire, who commenced by stating that the fine was assessed much below what it would have been had the case before him again he would most certainly fine him (Jones,) to the full extent of the law. After a little more grumbling Jones said that his object in coming to the office was to have "Gypsy Brewer" arrested, and the Justice set the trial for Friday.

Progress of the Work on the P. A. & D. R. R.—We learn from the Atlanta *Argus*, of the 26th, that a construction train on the P., A. & D. R. R. has been busily engaged in taking railroad iron and ties to the point where track is now being laid—near Minier. In all 58 pairs of ties and 22 pr iron had been received for last week. The pay-car came along the first of this week and restored confidence among the hands, and work now goes on with a vigor never before known. We hope that the work may always progress in this manner until the road has reached Decatur.

Double Wedding this Evening.—This evening at 6 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's father, John Stickel, Esq., of Long Creek township, Mr. Geo. W. Waggoner, of the firm of Barrnett & Waggoner, of this city, will be united in marriage with Miss Kate Stickel; and Mr. Zeigler will at the same time and place, take for better or worse, Miss Sue Stickel, a younger daughter of the same family.—Both couple will leave for the east on the 11 o'clock train to-night.

Arrest of Thieves.—About four weeks ago one John Ready and his son Lyfus Ready, run off from Topeka, Kansas, a pair of mules, with wagon and harness, upon which they had executed a chattel mortgage. The parties in that vicinity, who were the sufferers by this operation, got track of the absconding men and traced them to this county. On yesterday morning an officer from Topeka, armed with a requisition from the Governor of Kansas upon Governor Beveridge, called upon Sheriff Jennings and made known his business. The Sheriff being busy, turned the matter over to Marshal Haworth, who soon got upon the trail and followed the parties to a farm, about twelve miles southwest of town, near Musquito Creek, where they had a contract at cutting up corn. Here the Marshal, accompanied by the Kansas officer, found the men, mules, harness and wagon.—They immediately took the men into custody, and produced them and the team in this city. The men were committed to jail until to-day at noon, when the officer left with them for Topeka. They had been in this county about three weeks, and only a few days ago completed a job of cutting corn for Mr. Harnsbarger, of Whitmore township. Marshal Haworth took the case about 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon had the men in this city.

A Big Yield.—Mr. C. M. Dillinger, living ten miles northwest of Decatur, harvested twelve acres of winter wheat this season that averaged 32½ bushels to the acre, which weighed 61 lbs. to the bushel.

For Superb Sweet Cider, go to Joseph McCreery's, on Prairie street.

Help for the Hopeless.—You are weak, dejected, miserable, and nothing does you any good, you say. Don't despair. There is balm in Gilead. Have you tried Vinegar Bitters? No! Then why don't you? Do not insist that such a thing as a *vital elixir* is impossible before you have tested the properties of this marvelous Vegetable Restorative. Whether your complaint be dyspepsia, biliousness, nervous weakness, constitutional debility, or any other trouble, Vinegar Bitters will revive and renovate your shattered system, as a genial rain refreshes the withered flowers. 25-d&w4w

Wedding Suits made to order at Race's. 2 d-tf.

The Question Answered—"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are *less* in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the Case and Package, which gives them great advantage over small dealers. jan 2-d&wly

A Heavy Line of nickel-plated Traveling Bags, at Race's. 29-dtf

All Aboard for the Expositions.—The Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western Railway are selling tickets to Indianapolis and return for $6.40,—tickets good for eight days from date of sale.

Tickets to Louisville, Ky., and return for $9.55,—tickets good from date of sale until Oct. 17th.

Tickets to Cincinnati, O., and return for $10.40,—tickets good from date of sale until Oct. 3rd. [sep9-d&w1m

...The brickmasons now at work on Ullrich's new packing house, say that they will complete their work to-morrow.

MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION.

The directors of the Association met at the parlors of the Transit House, Monday evening, Dr. W. A. Barnes in the chair.

There was a full meeting of the Board, and the following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That a committee, consisting of the President, Secretary and Treasurer, be appointed to compile by-laws of the Association and rules of order for the Board of Directors.

Resolved, That the committee on publication be instructed to procure information relating to a railroad map, to be on letter heads, and the cost of electrotyping the same.

Resolved, That the President be authorized to correspond on the subject of establishing a starch factory in this place, and report at next meeting.

The Board adjourned to meet at same place next Friday evening, at 7 o'clock.

WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

The rapidly increasing business of the Keystone Carriage Manufactory, run by the Wayne Bros., is an indication of the superior quality of the wares turned out by that enterprising establishment. To give an idea of the amount of work done by this factory, we specify a few of the jobs that have left its warerooms within the last week or two.

A platform phaeton, for J. Q. Luce & Co., of Springfield,—a novelty in the line of vehicles,—is a piece of workmanship of which any carriage factory in the country might justly be proud. Also, a top buggy, for Mr. Frank Schenck, of Maroa, is one of the finest pieces of work that can be found in the country. Last week a magnificent delivery wagon, for Hargis, Imboden & Co., of Wichita, Kansas, was shipped to that firm. Another carriage, which excites the admiration of all who see it, is a splendid two-seated barouche, for Mr. Wykoff, of Maroa, and also two or three other smaller vehicles for persons living in the vicinity of Maroa.

All the above-named pieces of finished work show a thoroughness of construction and a beauty in style and finish that cannot be excelled at any factory in this country. Besides the above, there are a half score of different kinds of vehicles now in process of construction in the shops of this concern, most of which are for persons right here in town, and which will soon appear upon the streets to excite the admiration of all who can appreciate a nice job. Persons contemplating the purchase of pleasure or delivery wagons, should not fail to examine the beautiful samples of work at the "Keystone Manufactory."

Those Splendid Boots, made to order by J. P. Marsh, are winning golden opinions from all who wear them.

House Entered by Robbers.—Some fellows intent on plunder entered the residence of Mr. D. M. Lewis, of Hickory township, on Saturday, during the absence of the family, and ransacked drawers and every other place where they supposed money might be found. A few articles of cheap jewelry were taken, but luckily no money was left in the house. No clothing or other goods except the jewelry was taken.

Petit Larceny.—Yesterday evening, while a young man of this city was in his enamoretta's house, paying her a short visit, having left his horse and buggy hitched outside, some petit thief came along, and stole an umbrella out of the buggy and detached the hitching rein.—The thief's thought, undoubtedly, was that the horse would run away and smash up things so as to cover the theft. Luckily nothing of the sort occurred.

Get Ready.—Now is the time while this beautiful weather is with us to put glass in the broken windows, clean out the cellars, and put them in order to receive the winter supply of vegetables and fruit, put the wood-sheds in order and get in the winter supply of fuel. We shall soon have muddy roads, and cold storms, which will make it uncomfortable getting about, and render work in the line of repairs upon buildings difficult. Our farmers, and town people as well, should attend to all these matters while they can be done with comfort and convenience.—When thus nicely fixed, with their winter supplies all in, they can smile at storms, and feel comparatively indifferent as to whether school keeps or not.

Prohibition Congressional Convention.—Wm. S. Cissor, in behalf of the State Executive Committee of the Prohibition party, has issued a call for a convention of that party to nominate a candidate for Congress. Delegates and friends of the party in the counties of Vermilion, Coles, Douglas, Champaign, Piatt and Macon, are notified to meet at Champaign City, Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for that purpose.

For Several Years numerous experiments have been making for burning our soft coal successfully in a self-feeding magazine stove, that would require the fire to be built but once during the season, and one in which fire could be kept from ten to thirty-six hours, without replenishing. Some of these experiments have proven partially successful, but none a perfect success, excepting the invention of the "OMAHA." We notice this stove is for sale by CLOSE & GRISWOLD.

A New Store.—We learn that a Mr. Donaldson, from Natchez, Miss., is soon to open up a large dry goods house in Ruth's building, No. 12 Merchant street. The first of the goods are now at the depot, and Mr. Donaldson will be on hand to-morrow, when the store will be opened.

DIED.

Near Lewisburg, York county, Penn., Sept. 15, 1874, Miss MARY KRONE, aged 64 years and 15 days.

First-class Cassimere Suits, at Race's.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Rev. [illegible] is expected homeward bound train to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eldridge left this morning for [illegible]

[illegible] from his late injuries that he is able to ride about town.

Miss Annie Oglesby left at noon to-day for Louisville, Ky., to take in the exposition and visit friends in that city.

Bruce Donaker left this morning over the Paris road for a tour around the eastern and southeastern portions of Illinois.

Dr. J. W. Routh and family, Jos. Mills and wife, also John Shellsbarger and wife, returned from the Cincinnati Exposition to-day at noon.

H. W. Subird left this morning for the Indianapolis Exposition. Before he returns he will add somewhat to his present knowledge of the art of photography.

D. Hitchcock, Esq., General Superintendent of the Paris & Decatur R. R., was in town yesterday, looking after the interests of his road.

James Keefe will take his departure for "Ould Ireland" in about a week. He expects to visit Scotland, England, France, and perhaps Jerusalem, before his return.

John K. Warren, Esq., returned from California on Sunday night, after an absence of about a year. He has visited many points and objects of interest during his absence; and his health, as compared with what it was when he went away, is much improved.

Oliver McBride and wife returned from their wedding trip the morning they took in the Exposition. They made a fine of it generally speaking. They will leave for Danville, their future home, on Monday. The RIFLE TEAM will take with them the best wishes of hosts of friends.

At the St. Nicholas Hotel the following are registered: Chas. Smovoski and wife, Springfield; A. G. Gregory, Bement; W. E. Wood, St. Louis; W. H. Bently, Covington, Ky.; N. Delaney, Mrs. C. H. Gaines, Terre Haute; James McKee, Philadelphia; J. H. Humphreys, Chicago; G. H. Scott, Galesburg, Ill.; W. D. Gano, Indianapolis; Mrs. Davidson, Terre Haute; R. S. Johnson, Chicago; L. A. Cummings, Ft. Wayne; Allen McConnell, Chicago; Noah Williams and J. C. Pearce, Terre Haute.

Union Temperance Prayer Meeting, at Stapp's Chapel, on Tuesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Daily prayer meeting as usual. By order

COMMITTEE.

Wanted to Trade.—A top buggy, almost new, for a town lot. Apply immediately to DR. W. J. CUNNWARTH.
Sept. 23 1w.

Residence Sold.—We understand that H. B. Durfee, Esq., has sold his residence on North Main street to Dr. Joseph King. The price paid was $5,000. Dr. King is certainly fortunate in coming into the possession of one of the finest locations and best improved lots in our city. Mr. Durfee has purchased of Dr. King the brick residence and two acres of ground, and also the undivided half of the remainder of the 40 acres. The consideration was $13,000. The fine location of this property, and surroundings, will certainly afford Mr. Durfee abundant opportunity to display his good taste in fitting up his future home.

...Two car loads of cattle went north over the Illinois Central railroad to-day.

For Rent.—A good house on Mason street, with six rooms. Apply to [illegible]

Get Elwood to take your measure for a nice suit of clothes, at Race's. 9tf

Farms for Sale.—I have 200 acres good prairie, 14 miles east of Maroa, for sale cheap, and on easy terms. Also, several improved farms, of different sizes.

Also, MONEY TO LOAN, in sums of $500 to $5,000, on real estate security.

C. F. EMERY, Maroa, Ill.
10-w4d8

Just Received—New dried blackberries, new cranberries, California honey, and a lot of choice groceries, at [illegible]
2d JACK & SONS.

All wool Business Suits from $12 up at Race's. 2 dtf

Important to Boarders.—Ten or twelve regular boarders can be accommodated with board and good rooms at $4.00 per week, at No. 29 West North street.—Table board will be furnished for $3.00 per week. NEWTON THORNTON.
May 13-dtf

You can buy at Wessels a fine pair of Ladies' Gaiters for $1.50. Call and examine before you buy, at cost. aug 7 dtf

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [Sept1 d1m

Latest Style Silk Hats, for $5, at Race's. 2dtf

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RETAIL MARKET.

Grapes, per lb	2½@5
Plums, per bu	80
Cucumbers, per doz	10
Green corn, "	10
Lemons, "	40
Oranges, "	1,00
Eggs, "	10
Tomatoes "	10
Butter—packed	20
" —fresh	30
Apples, per bushel	1,00@1,25
New potatoes per bushel	1,00
Peaches, per bu	50@ 75
Pears, "	1,50
Onions, per peck	35
Beans, "	30
Beets, per bushel	1,00
Cabbage, per head	5@10
Cider, per gallon	30
Turnips, per peck	1,20
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	30
Muskmelons, each	5
Watermelons, "	5
Pumpkins, "	10
Quinces, per dozen	35

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, September 29, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ .85
" White " "	1.05
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	4.00
" red " "	3,50
" superfine, "	3.25
" middlings, "	1.75
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	1,00
RYE—℔ bushel	.60
CORN—℔ bushel	.70
" —shelled, per bushel	.65
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	10,00
OATS—℔ bushel	.45
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	3.00
CLOVER SEED "	6.50
BLUE GRASS— "	1.50
ORCHARD GRASS, "	2.50
BROOM CORN	7@8
HUNGARIAN	1.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	2.00
BUTTER—℔ lb	25
EGGS—per doz	10
LARD—℔ lb	12@15
BACON—Sides	12@15
HAMS—sugar cured	14@16
SHOULDERS—per lb	10
HOGS—live, per hundred	6,00@6.50
CATTLE— "	3,25@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	3,50@4.00
" " " sheared	
POTATOES—per bu	100
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	15
APPLES— " "	10
" Green ℔ bu	1.00
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewashed, choice	40@45
" " " inferior	30@35
" Tolerable, choice	40@45
" " " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ lb	.06
" Salted cured,	.8
" Calf,	.10
" Dry salt,	12
" Dry Flint,	14
SHEEP PELTS	40@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ lb	.50@.55
" Tow	[illegible]

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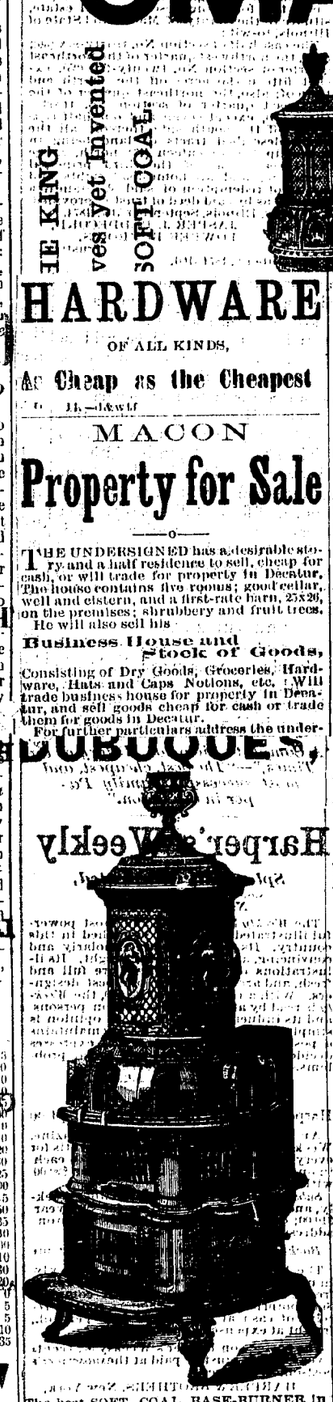

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WHEREAS, William Rea and Mary Rea, his wife, of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, did, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1869, by their certain deed of trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustees, certain real estate hereinafter described, which deed of trust is recorded in the recorder's office of said Macon county, in book 31, page 18, and was made to secure the payment of three certain promissory notes of said William Rea, bearing even date with said deed of trust, payable to the order of Stacy B. Barcroft, one for five thousand dollars, payable three years after date, one for five thousand dollars, payable four years after date, and one for six thousand dollars, payable five years after date, all bearing interest at ten per cent. per annum, the first payment of interest to be made on the first day of November, A. D. 1869, and semi-annually thereafter, on the first day of May and November of each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the date of the maturity of said notes, respectively;

And whereas, It is provided by said deed of trust that if said William Rea shall fail to pay said notes, or either of them, and the interest thereon as said principal and interest shall respectively become due, and on application of the legal holder thereof, the undersigned Trustees may thereupon at once proceed to sell the property therein described entire, without sub-division, or in parcels, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, first giving public notice of the time and place, and terms of said sale, and of the property to be sold, by an advertisement thereof in some public newspaper published in the city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and to make, acknowledge and deliver to the purchaser, or purchasers, of said premises deed, or deeds, of conveyance therefor in fee simple;

And whereas, Default having been made in the payment of all of said promissory notes and of the interest thereon accrued, and Samuel K. Kille, executor of the estate of Stacy B. Barcroft, deceased, being the legal holder of said notes, having made application to the undersigned Trustees and requested the advertisement and sale of said premises under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in said deed of trust, public notice is, therefore, hereby given, that on

Thursday, the 8th day of October, A. D. 1874,

at ten (10) o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, being the west door of the present court house, we, the undersigned Trustees, shall, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon us by said deed of trust, offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

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September 8, 1874-dtd.

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REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of the county court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, made at the August term thereof, A. D. 1874 upon the petition of the undersigned, administratrix and administrator of the estate of Zachariah Chance, deceased, against Joseph Chance, et al., we will, on

Saturday, the 26th day of September,

A. D. 1874, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, sell at public vendue, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, the following described real estate in Macon county, in the State of Illinois, to-wit: Part of the east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four (34), in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the 3d P. M., containing fifteen acres.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half in six, and one-half in nine months, the purchaser to give his notes, bearing ten per cent. interest, with good personal security and a mortgage on the premises purchased, to secure the same.

CHRISTIANA CHANCE, Adm'x,
WILLIAM M. CHANCE, Adm'r.

August 29—d4w.

Commissioner's Sale!

JOSEPH STARR vs. THOMAS W. LAWSON AND MARTHA JANE LAWSON.

Public notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the May term, A. D. 1874, of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on Saturday, the

10th day of October, A. D. 1874,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. twenty-one (21) in township No. sixteen (16) north, range four (4) east of the 3d principal meridian; also the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, excepting five (5) acres off the east side thereof of same section, township and range; also the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, excepting five (5) acres off the east side of said last named piece, in same section, township and range.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Circuit Court of Macon County, December term, A. D. 1874.

John B. A. Read *vs.* Leander McQueary.

IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit that the residence of Leander McQueary, defendant above named, cannot, upon diligent enquiry, be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Leander McQueary that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December next (1874), as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Leander McQueary, shall be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

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